

BATTLE ALONG YSER CONTINUES WITH BOTH CLAIMING SUCCESS

BRITISH BATTLE HARD TO HOLD IN YPRES STRUGGLE

Attack Fiercely Yesterday to Regain Ground Lost to Germans' Latest Offensive

HOLD HILL SIXTY AND POSITIONS

Territory Along Canal Under Heavy Rain from Big Cannon; Ground Followed by Gas Shells

BERLIN, Via Wireless to Sayville, L. I., April 26.—The Anglo-French claims that the Germans have been thrown back across the Yser canal is definitely and specifically denied by the German war office. On the contrary, the war office says, the positions at Lizerne, on the west bank of the canal, are still in the hands of the Germans. The total number of British prisoners is 5,000 including 1,000 Canadians and the total cannon captured north of the Yser is 45.

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD (United Press Staff Correspondent) (Copyright, 1915, by United Press.) (Copyright in Great Britain.)

HEADQUARTERS OF THE BRITISH OVERSEA ARMY, NORTHERN FRANCE, April 25.—Via London, April 26.—The Germans are now bombarding Ypres with seventeen-inch guns. The roar of these great pieces of artillery, latest product of the Krupp factories, can be heard thirty miles. German incendiary shells have fired all of the Belgian farms and villages along a front of twenty miles. Tonight the sky is illuminated with the glare from the blazing homes and barns.

The high northerly winds which for three days have been blowing from the German lines across the Anglo-French-Belgian trenches carrying before them the steelying gases have now died down. There is complete calm tonight and the temper of the allied troops over what they claim the most flagrant breach of the rules of civilized warfare by the Germans is most bitter. From the highest officer down to the last joined private the most bitter invective is being used against the Germans.

"I believe now that the Germans actually did massacre the Belgian people," snapped a Canadian officer of high rank whom I saw in the field hospital and who was suffering from the effects of the gases. Many of the citizens who are in the hospitals are suffering from the gas fumes.

"The further they come the harder they'll get whipped." The above phrase, the sharp comment of Field Marshal Sir John French, commander in chief of the British forces, when apprised that the Germans had hacked their way through to the Ypres canal, is today the slogan of an onslaught all along the line to try to recover the lost ground, that for fierceness has never been equalled in any previous war. The fighting continues with the utmost intensity.

British Hold Hill Sixty. Standing on a hill, five miles from Ypres today, I saw reflected along a fifteen-mile-long panorama filled with smoke, the gigantic opposition which Gen. French's army is making against the weight of the reinforced German war machine. The British still hold all of their positions in the vicinity of Hill Sixty. Over the hill itself a dense smoke cloud hangs, placed there by the enormous shells from the German guns which constantly burst over every portion of the British positions.

Six miles northeast of Ypres the new positions of the Canadians can just be distinguished through the whitish smoke. Ypres itself is being subjected to almost continuous bombardment and has been set on fire in many places. Smoke from six burning Belgian villages is easily discernible on the horizon while above it all can be picked out the British aeroplanes reconnoitering.

Gas Yellows Ground. The quantity of the German poisonous gases which showered over the allied lines was so great that the ground for a wide area has turned a deep yellow which, viewed from a distance, seems as though it were covered with a powder. Although the allied soldiers were affected for an area half a mile behind their trenches, the German soldiers rushed into the fumes unharmed. This was explained when on prisoners were found wads of cotton, and they said that they had received instructions to plug their nostrils when charging after the gas guns had been fired.

From Gen. French down the British believe that the present drive is (Continued on Page Six)

WILSON FUNERAL FINE TESTIMONIAL TO THE DEPARTED

Presbyterian Church Packed by Fellow Citizens of Man Whose Friends Were Many and Warm

COLUMN MARCHES IN HIS HONOR

Long Line of Knights of Pythias and Modern Woodmen Lay Him to Rest

WOODMEN RESOLUTION WHEREAS, it has pleased the Great Architect of the Universe to remove from our midst our late Brother John D. Wilson, and

WHEREAS, it is but just that a fitting recognition of his many virtues should be had; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that in the death of John D. Wilson this camp laments the loss of a brother who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the fraternity; an active member of this society, whose utmost endeavors were exerted for its welfare and prosperity; a friend and companion who was dear to us all; a citizen whose upright and noble life was a standard of emulation to his fellows.

Resolved, that we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased on the dispensation with which it has pleased Divine Providence to afflict them, and devoutly commend them to the keeping of Him who looks with pitying eye upon the widowed and the fatherless.

Resolved, that the heartfelt sympathy of this camp be extended to his family in their affliction.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the records of this Camp and a copy thereof be transmitted to the family of our deceased brother, and to each of the newspapers of La Crosse.

J. B. MURRAY, W. H. LUTH, J. E. HANSON, L. KLEBER, C. W. HUNT, CHAS. L. WEIS, Committee.

Gateway City Camp 359 of M. W. A.

The funeral of John D. Wilson, held at 2:30 Sunday afternoon from the First Presbyterian church, proved to be one of the greatest demonstrations of honor and regard ever given a citizen of La Crosse.

The church was packed with friends and citizens, many of whom could not find seats, and there were many moist eyes as Rev. D. C. Jones completed a remarkable tribute to the memory of the departed citizen.

Although his intimate acquaintance with Mr. Wilson had been of short duration, Reverend Jones was visibly affected. He spoke feelingly of the exemplary life of Mr. Wilson, with the history of which he had become familiar, and he recognized in the unusual out-turning of citizens evidences of lovable and admirable qualities that had made so warm friendships possible. Every word of the pastor was followed by the sympathetic audience, one of the largest and most representative ever gathered in the church.

The funeral services at the grave were under the direction of John P. Linton, judge No. 27, Knights of Pythias, of which Mr. Wilson was a member, and a long column of Knights and of Modern Woodmen, to the latter of which Mr. Wilson also belonged, marched from the church to the final spot in Oak Grove cemetery, carrying garlands of evergreen. In the lead was Edward Ford, veteran of the veterans, while Hon. John J. Esch, Mills Tourtellotte and other prominent citizens occupied places in the procession. Men of advanced years insisted in participating in the hardships of this long march, in honor of Mr. Wilson.

The funeral arrangements were in charge of Vice Chancellor A. E. Bleekman and Mr. Ford was the official director. The pallbearers were: Knights of Pythias, Captain B. C. Smith, C. A. Hunt, L. Kleber; Woodmen, John E. Hauser, J. B. Murray, William C. Luth.

CLEANUP WORK CONTINUES

Ori J. Sorensen, under whose administration the city cleanup campaign was inaugurated, will this evening receive the boy scouts of the city at the Y. M. C. A. at seven o'clock. Additional instructions will be given for the re-inspection of the city to be started Saturday.

WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND

By BRIGGS



BUSINESS IS GOOD SAYS F. H. BURGESS WHO RETURNS TODAY

Big Newspaper Publishers Assert that Spring Business Augurs Great Merchandising Season

In the opinion of the big newspaper publishers of the United States, gathered from all quarters of the nation to attend the annual convention of the American Newspaper Publishers' association in New York city last week, a decided turn toward activity and prosperity characterizes the spring business movement of the country.

This is the information brought home by Frank H. Burgess, manager (Continued on Page Six)

EDWARD C. WALL DIES IN MILWAUKEE

Former Candidate for Democratic Nomination for President Passes Sunday

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 26.—Edward C. Wall, one time candidate for the democratic nomination for president, died here Sunday after two weeks' illness of a complication of diseases. He was born in Milwaukee, Aug. 11, 1843. He graduated from a private school in Stockbridge, Mass., and from Beloit and Racine colleges. He had been in the grain brokerage business from 1877 until his retirement six years ago. He was a member of the democratic national committee from 1892 to 1900.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL WATER THREATENED BY WILLIAM GROVER

North Side Alderman Prepares to Ask Council to Collect Full Rate for City Service

Alderman William Grover of the north side has prepared a chart showing that the parochial schools in La Crosse are using \$699.17 worth of water every six months for which they are paying but \$198.65, or a 25 per cent rate in accordance with sections seven and eight of the water ordinance. These figures cover the five Catholic schools, the German Lutheran parochial school and the St. Michael's orphanage. Before the next session of the (Continued on Page Six)

BIG ALLIED LAND FORCE COMBINES WITH FLEET TO REDUCE TURK FORTS

OPEN GREAT ART EXHIBIT IN THE LIBRARY TUESDAY

Tomorrow Will Begin Big Art Show Which Eclipses Any Ever Given in This City

WATSON LECTURES ATTRACTION

President of Milwaukee Art Society Will Address the Schools and Conduct Gallery Tour

PICTURES CREATE ENTHUSIASM

Most of Those Shown Here Were Exhibited by Chicago Art Institute Recently

Art exhibit opens to general public tomorrow (Tuesday) morning. Tuesday evening will be devoted to gallery tour and reception for members and those who desire to become members. With the exception of Tuesday evening the exhibit will be open, day and evening, until May eighth, to all citizens without regard to whether they are or expect to be members. EVERYBODY is urged to attend.

Everything is in readiness for the public opening of the first exhibit of the Art Association of La Crosse at the Washburn library tomorrow.

Tonight the officers and directors, with their wives or husbands, will take their first view of the exhibit, the hanging committee having completed its work, which included a readjustment of the lighting facilities to show the pictures at the best advantage.

Tomorrow Dudley Crafts Watson, president of the Milwaukee Art Society, member of the faculty of the Chicago Art Institute and popular art critic and lecturer, will have the center of the stage.

Mr. Watson will spend the day delivering short lectures to the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades of the grammar schools and state normal, and to the high school. In the evening, beginning at 8:15, he will begin the gallery tour lectures for the benefit of members of the association and those who desire to become members. Non-members who desire to join the association may gain admittance by leaving their names for enrollment during the evening.

All other meetings are for the general public, and members and non-members alike are cordially invited to attend the exhibit, which will be open all day and evening until May eighth.

Something of the importance of Mr. Watson in art circles may be gleaned from the facts that, as president of the Milwaukee Art society, he has built that institution up from a membership of seventy-five to 589 during the past year, and that under his administration art has become a regular feature in the curriculum of the Milwaukee public schools.

Miss Fanny Sill, chairman of the social program committee, announces an informal reception for the directors at the Tuesday evening meeting.

The directors are immensely pleased with the exhibit, the character of which is shown by the fact that most of the paintings presented were exhibited in the annual exhibit of American artists' works by the Art Institute of Chicago recently.

Y. M. C. A. TO ELECT

Annual election of directors of the Young Men's Christian association will be held at eight o'clock this evening at the association. There will be no other matters of business.

KOECHNER SPENDS \$2.21

Carl E. Koehnner, recently defeated by J. J. Frisch for the office of city tax commissioner, spent \$2.21, according to the statement of expenses filed today with Register of Deeds A. E. Thompson.

STREET CONTRACTS HELD

The meeting of the board of public works to receive bids on street improvements which was to have been considered this afternoon, was adjourned until tomorrow afternoon.

BOMBARDMENT OF DARDANELLES FORTS IS RESUMED TODAY

Whole Fleet of Allies Reported in Action in a Message from Athens

FORTS REPLYING WITH VIGOR

No Reports of Damage Made Public; Action Began Early Sunday at Long Range

RUSSIANS AT THE BOSPHORUS

Constantinople Declares Sunday Shelling by the Slav Fleet Did Little Damage

LONDON, April 26.—The attempt of the allies to reduce the Turkish fortifications guarding the Dardanelles by a combined land and sea expedition already has commenced. The war office and admiralty in a brief message issued late today says: "We have landed a large force on the Gallipoli peninsula."

It is understood here that the expedition is under the command of General Sir Ian Hamilton.

ATHENS, April 26.—The entire allied fleet is today bombarding the forts of the Dardanelles and the forts all along the line are replying with vigor. The bombardment commenced early Sunday at long range and no account of the damage has as yet been received.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 26.—For half an hour on Sunday the Russian Black sea fleet bombarded the Bosphorus forts at long range. No damage was done.

JOSEPH POEHLING INJURED

Joseph Poehling, foreman of the tin shop of the Tausche Hardware company, is confined at his home, 228 South Seventh street, with a fractured hip. Mr. Poehling was repairing a tin roof on a bay window at 1717 South Twelfth street, when his foot slipped and he fell twelve feet to the cement sidewalk. Doctor Henke found his hip had been fractured. Mr. Poehling has already been laid up two weeks and will probably have to spend ten weeks more in bed before the fractured bone mends.

Weather

Temperatures yesterday: High, 80. Low, 56. Precipitation, 0. Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Unsettled weather with probably showers tonight and Tuesday. For Wisconsin: Unsettled weather with probably showers Tuesday and west portion tonight. For Minnesota: Showers tonight and Tuesday. Fresh winds. For Iowa: Showers this afternoon or tonight; Tuesday partly cloudy.

Weather Conditions A moderate storm, central this morning in western Nebraska, has caused light to heavy showers from Texas to Minnesota and South Dakota. Another low is central north of Montana. The pressure is highest over the central, Atlantic and east gulf states.

The weather is generally clear east of the Mississippi river and west of the Rocky mountains and cloudy and unsettled between the Rocky mountains and Mississippi river, with rain at a few stations. The temperature is generally above the normal for the season from the Rocky mountains to the Atlantic coast.

The following 24-hour rainfall (in inches) is reported: Oklahoma, 2.60; Wichita, 1.32; North Platte, 1.14. The Nebraska low will cause unsettled weather in this section tonight and Tuesday and showers are probable. There will be no decided change in temperature.

River Stage Flood Stage, Height, Change. St. Paul,14 5.7 —0.2 Red Wing,14 6.1 —0.2 Reeds Landing,12 6.0 —0.2 La Crosse,12 7.7 —0.3 Pr. du Chien,18 9.5 —0.3 Dubuque,18 10.1 St. Louis,30 14.8

River Forecast St. Paul to La Crosse: The river will continue to fall during the next 36 hours.

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Frank H. Burgess, manager of The TRIBUNE, succeeded in closing the contract for BRIGGS' cartoons in New York City last week. It is the greatest cartoon service ever purchased by a La Crosse newspaper. It is EXCLUSIVE for this section. The publishers of the TRIBUNE are enthusiastic over the transaction. We think YOU, MR. READER, will be pleased. The service begins today, and will appear daily.

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BILLY SUNDAY HITS THE BOOZE HABIT

PATERSON, N. J., April 26.—Sweating under the fiery language of one of Billy Sunday's hottest "for men only" sermons and sizzling in a ninety degree atmosphere, 9,000 men yesterday heard the sawdust evangelist plead against the booze habit.

"Oh, if you Presbyterians would pass the booze by instead of talking about New Jerusalem," said Sunday, "or you Baptists would stop yelling 'water, water' while two-thirds of your bunch are going where they can't get a drop, you'd soon clean up this saloon-filled, brewery-controlled community for Christ."

Good digestion is needed when a fellow has to eat his own words.

BAD STOMACH TROUBLE Yields to Delicious Vinol

Shreveport, La.—"I had a bad stomach trouble for years and became so weak I could hardly walk or do any work. My appetite was poor, my food would not digest, I bloated and was very weak and nervous. I tried many remedies without help. I saw Vinol advertised and tried it, and now my stomach trouble is completely cured and I am well."—E. L. Marshall.

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Daddy's Bedtime Story—

"Sometimes we would walk."

"I THINK tonight I will tell you kiddies the story the moccasins told," said daddy.

"Snakes, daddy?" asked Evelyn.

"No, girly; the moccasins that Indians wear on their feet," explained daddy, snuggling up the kiddies for the evening story.

"Once upon a time a traveler stood before a pair of moccasins that rested in a glass case in a museum in a great city. He stood there a long time, and this is the story those moccasins told him:

"We're so tired of lying here idle," said the moccasins. "We wonder where the man is who used to wear us. It's so long ago that we almost forget."

"We remember that there were lots of woods then. Everything seemed to be all woods through which there ran many streams. And there were lakes and ponds in them too. It was very much different from what it is now, so we hear. Still, the lakes and ponds are there."

"My, how many miles we used to travel, one after the other! First one of us would be ahead and then the other. Really, it was quite an exciting race. Sometimes we would walk, but more often we would run. Then one of us would jump ahead, and no sooner would it light than the other would be ahead in its turn. We could never make up our minds which one was the winner. We've often thought since that one was just as fast as the other."

"We used to walk or run along cute, winding, brown paths that led through the forests, and we would go ever and ever so far. And by and by we would come to a campful of tents that we heard were teepees, and we'd find ever so many other moccasins there that were upon the feet of other Indians. And we moccasins would talk to each other and tell one another of our adventures. And then we would all go to sleep together."

"Sometimes we two moccasins would go along with the two feet that wore us to the bank of a stream, and then we would step into a craft which we heard called a canoe. And the Indian who owned the feet and us moccasins would paddle the canoe down the lovely shadowed water, and we moccasins would just rest after all our walking and running and enjoy it. And once the canoe tipped over, but the Indian swam with us to shore."

"By and by he left us in a teepee. Maybe it was because we had grown old. We don't remember, it was so long ago. And after a long time along came a white man and found us in the teepee and brought us here. And here we are. But we want exercise. We wish we were back on the Indian's feet in the woods. Are there any woods now, we wonder?"

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

PATRICIA'S INFLUENCE

BY JUNE GAHAN

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"But, my dear Mrs. Chase, you know I never have been an acknowledged suffragist," protested Patricia Way.

"Not acknowledged, perhaps, Patricia, but a suffragist just the same," Mrs. Chase insisted, tactfully. "And in this instance we positively need your assistance. Don't refuse—please."

"Well—what is it? Shall I ride a white horse in the parade? Do you want me to shout a speech from some housetop? Must I act as a sandwich girl with yellow roses for women all over me?" she asked, frivolously.

"Wrong every time. This is a much more delicate and tactful piece of work, Patricia, and I am sure you can do it."

"Do tell me what it is," begged Patricia impatiently. Since she knew she was in duty bound to do this favor for her friend, Mrs. Chase, to whom she was under obligations, socially, that she could never repay, she was anxious to know what it was. "I'm consumed with curiosity."

Mrs. Chase began by asking a question. Such is the beginning of many a woman's conversation. "Do you know that next Sunday is Mothers' day?"

Patricia indicated that she did by a series of affirmative nods.

"Ministers all over the country are going to preach Mothers' day sermons, and most of them are going to put in a word for woman suffrage."

Patricia nodded again, comprehendingly.

"I have seen every one of our ministers but the Rev. Mr. Hubert Stone. It happens that I do not know him. It also happens that he seems not to be greatly in favor of this movement and, therefore, must be approached in the most diplomatic manner by the most tactful and attractive person possible."

Patricia placed a hand over Mrs. Chase's mouth playfully. "Don't—you embarrass me."

"Never mind about that, Patricia. Will you do it? Will you go to him personally and ask him to speak a good word for woman suffrage in his Mothers' day talk? If you feel that you can't argue with him, just tell him, simply, that it is a religious movement, inasmuch as it is arrayed against all the vice of the country. The evil forces are working against it. Ask him to make some reference to giving the mothers of the race greater power to extend their protective care over the children of the state. Now, that isn't difficult, is it?"

Patricia frowned. "I'll try to do the best I can. And—I do know him slightly," she admitted.

What she did not admit was that the young minister that occupied the pulpit in her church really had given evidence of his admiration of her. She had given him no encouragement as yet, for she feared if she did that her days as a free agent would be numbered. If she read Hubert Stone aright, he would make short work of wooing.

When she called to see him at the attractive, vine-covered rectory she had misgivings as to the successful outcome of her errand.

As she sat in the comfortable reception room waiting for Dr. Stone to come from his study, Patricia rehearsed what she was going to say.

"Miss Way, this is indeed a pleasure," her host began, as he entered, interrupting her self-rehearsal and taking her hand in both his hands. This was his friendly manner—Patricia did not misunderstand it. She had seen him do it before to other parishioners, men and women.

"Wait and see if it is," Patricia managed to say as she withdrew her hand and took her seat again.

Dr. Stone raised his eyebrows in mock surprise. "Why? What is it?" he asked. "Going to be married?"

Patricia shook her head. "Indeed not. I have come to ask you to say something nice for—for mothers in your Mothers' day sermon," she began.

The minister laughed. "And, pray, what else would I do, Miss Way?" Whether he knew what she meant to say or not she could not tell.

"I mean that I want you to say a good word for woman suffrage, the biggest movement in the world today. You will have such a wonderful opportunity to help us—your, with your broad influence and on such an auspicious occasion." He let her continue without interrupting her. "You know that in practice woman suffrage makes for righteousness, you know that the woman workers of your parish—and of every parish—need this instrument, the ballot, to extend their power. Now, don't you?" she asked.

"I know one thing, anyway," he said, looking at her keenly. "And that is that you are pretty well up in your lines."

Patricia looked crestfallen for a moment.

"Oh," the rector hastened to assure her. "I don't mean that you seem not in earnest. I simply mean that you speak well, more convincingly and seriously than I thought you could on this subject."

"Then you have thought about it, too?" Patricia asked, quickly brightening.

"I was the minister's turn to nod. 'I have,' he said, still not committing himself.

"And will you speak favorably about it on Sunday?"

"I have already written my sermon. I have planned just what to say," he said, smiling enigmatically.

"And—"

"And you just wait and see, Miss"

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SPOTLIGHTS

LA CROSSE PLAYERS.

"The best show since the stock company opened," is the verdict of the big crowds that attended the performances of the La Crosse Theatre Players yesterday. "Love and Politics" pleased them to the limit. They laughed, applauded and enjoyed every minute of the two hours and ten minutes that they were at the theater. Such a lavish display of beautiful wardrobe has never been seen here with any stock company. "Love and Politics" will be the offering again tonight and Tuesday.

MAUDE ADAMS.

Maude Adams, who is to be seen in Barrie's comedy, "Quality Street" at the LaCrosse theater Wednesday, April 28, was invited to appear before the faculty and student body of the University of Indiana last fall. Great preparations were made by the university people to make the visit of the actress a notable event. It was decided to add a stage to the gymnasium building and elaborate plans were drawn for it. As a precautionary measure and to insure having things as Miss Adams would like them the management of the company was asked if there were any things in particular that were to be installed on the new stage. The word that came in reply was that a certain height for the hanging of scenery would be necessary and that so many lines would have to be in position when the company reached the city. This couldn't be understood, so a telegram followed asking if there was not some scenery and properties required. "No," came back the word, "we carry our own footlights and strip lights and have everything necessary. Give us a bare stage." And that is all Miss Adams' company requires of any theater. The organization is without doubt the best equipped one that is on tour and is even prepared to put in a curtain if one is needed. The perfection of little details will be observed when Miss Adams comes forward in "Quality Street." The settings, the furniture and everything used in the play is in keeping with the period in which the sentimental story of Phoebe Throssell's love affair is laid.

BARNES GRAVE AS TEDDY TESTIFIES



William F. Barnes.

This picture was taken in the courtroom at Syracuse, New York, while Colonel Roosevelt was testifying in the \$50,000 libel suit brought by Barnes. The former leader of the Republican party of New York looked very grave as the colonel gave his reasons for referring to Barnes as a political boss.

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SLEEPING MAN IS KILLED BESIDE WIFE BY ANGRY CREDITOR

MASON CITY, Iowa, April 26.—Nick Jashvich, Russian Jew, has confessed that he killed Alexander Kaslosky, as he slept beside his wife. The confession came after the dead man's widow said she saw Jashvich leave the room soon after the shot was fired. Kaslosky owed Jashvich \$100 and had been unable to meet the demands for payment and the police think the murder was for revenge of the non-payment of the debt. After the confession Jashvich took the officers to the spot where he had buried the revolver.

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Month of March

March
Daily Average **7,687**

1—Mon	7,705	16—Tues	7,675
2—Tues	7,695	17—Wed	7,716
3—Wed	7,684	18—Thur	7,687
4—Thur	7,697	19—Fri	7,672
5—Fri	7,685	20—Sat	7,692
6—Sat	7,689	21—Sunday	
7—Sunday		22—Mon	7,676
8—Mon	7,682	23—Tues	7,697
9—Tues	7,689	24—Wed	7,709
10—Wed	7,683	25—Thur	7,658
11—Thur	7,702	26—Fri	7,681
12—Fri	7,697	27—Sat	7,704
13—Sat	7,676	28—Sunday	
14—Sunday		29—Mon	7,674
15—Mon	7,671	30—Tues	7,675
		31—Wed	7,683

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I, Frank H. Burgess, business
manager of The La Crosse Tribune,
do solemnly swear that the actual
number of copies of the paper nam-
ed, printed and circulated during the
month of March, 1915, was as above
stated.

Subscribed an sworn to before me
this 5th day of April, 1915.

Notary Public.

INTRODUCING
MR. BRIGGS

We've got BRIGGS.
On the first page of this issue of
the TRIBUNE there is a complete an-
nouncement of the deal by which
this newspaper has acquired the ex-
clusive rights of the great cartoon-
ist's service in this section. There
is also the first installment of the
service.

This is the biggest single invest-
ment in a cartoon service ever made
by a La Crosse newspaper. Briggs
is the funniest of the cartoonists. He
is the cleanest of the truly funny car-
toonists. The distinctive thing about
Briggs is that he gets his fun out of
true, earthly life. You laugh, and
say, "It's a fact, too." Briggs knows
his boys, he knows his clubmen, he
knows "fans" and he knows his dogs.
Briggs knows LIFE, and he takes it
with a big, wholesome humor.

MAKING AND
TAKING JOBS

The intimation that, following the
process of Mr. Farmer, who investi-
gated the state normal schools and
landed in a job in relation to them,
Dr. Allen, who investigated the uni-
versity, may create a "bureau of
efficiency" and accept a job therein,
raises important questions of public
policy.

Is it right for a man to secure a
position of emolument with an in-
stitution of which he is a public in-
vestigator, as did Mr. Farmer, who
investigated the state normal schools
and acquired a job under the board
of normal regents?

Is it right for a man to create a
bureau or other government agency
and then take a position with that
agency, as Dr. Allen is credited with
being willing to do?

A state statute denies a legisla-
tor the right to hold an official posi-

tion for the creation of which he cast
a vote in the legislature.

Isn't the case exactly parallel with
what Mr. Farmer has legally done
and what, under present conditions,
Dr. Allen might legally do?

Undoubtedly the thing contemplated
is legal. Whether it is ethical is
a question of opinion. Wisconsin
opinion, as interpreted in the statute
prohibiting a legislator hold-
ing an office for the establishment
of which he voted, runs counter. This
discussion is not a criticism of Dr.
Allen's motives; rather it is the ex-
pression of our notion that public
policy is against the state hiring men
temporarily to make for themselves
permanent jobs.

Of course Mr. Farmer is an honest
man, but how easy it would have
been for a dishonest man to have
made his report upon the state nor-
mal schools a club with which to
drive a bargain for a job with the
state normal regents?

Dr. Allen is interesting himself in
the proposed central board of educa-
tion. Were he not the honest person
he undoubtedly is, how easy it would
have been for him to have shaped
his university report as to have in-
fluenced the governor, sponsor for
the central board, in relation to a
bureau of efficiency and a job there-
in?

Eliminating Dr. Allen and Mr.
Farmer from the argument, there
are broad grounds upon which the
state should emphatically squelch
proceedings in the nature to which
reference is here made.

THE BUSINESS
OF WAR

In so far as this work of building
battleships is to go on, I should like
to see it done by the government. I
believe we would have better work,
and I believe we would eliminate a
strong, powerful influence that
makes for international disturbance
—referred to so eloquently and so
brilliantly by the senator from Mis-
sissippi the other day. I refer to this
world-wide organization that is stim-
ulating the fomenting discord in or-
der that it may make profit out of
the furnishing of munitions of war
of every sort and kind. In so far
as this government is to make pre-
paration against the dire evil of war,
I want to see it done solely under
government supervision and at gov-
ernment expense.—Senator La Fol-
lette's.

How the thought that business
men plot war for profit shatters
faith! How it stamps civilization as
incompetent to terminate the practice
of war! Kill a million men to make
a billion dollars! Murders committed
wholesale at \$1,000 each!

AEROPLANE TRIES
TO RESCUE SEVEN

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 26.
—Seven Italian fishermen were
drowned. It was established today,
in the capizing of a launch in the
Bay here today, when for the first
time in history an aeroplane tried to
rescue drowning men from the air.
Harry Christofferson, an aviator,
skipped the surface of the water
and attempted to throw life preservers
to the men struggling in the wa-
ter.

Fireproof Wood.
To make wood fireproof, slake a
small quantity of fresh lime and add
water till it has the consistency of
cream, stir well and add one pound of
alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash
and about one pound of salt. Stir
again and apply while hot. Two
or three coats will keep wood fireproof
for many months.

DEAN'S A DADDY

The Tribune goes to press
today in a haze of smoke,
for which an eight pound
son, the newly acquired prop-
erty of Dean Tevis of the
staff, is responsible. Young
Mr. Tevis made his debut in-
to a welcoming world at an
early hour this morning, and
hospital authorities consider
him as lusty an infant as ever
yelled. He and his moth-
er are doing well.

Quips and Cranks
and Wanton Wiles

Welcome
Yes, Gentle Spring is here,
I know there's no mistake.
For Neighbor Jones has come
And walked off with my rake.
I know that Summer's near,
There is no doubt at all;
Smith has come for my mower—
He'll bring it back next fall.

The balmy season's on,
Hot weather soon will start;
The folks down street have come
And got our baby cart.

We cannot be far wrong,
We know what springtime means;
Three neighbors came at once
To borrow all our screens.

Lady—I should like to look at a
flat which I see is for rent in this
building, but no one has answered my
bell.

Man—I'll show it to you. Right
this way, mum.

"Well, this is something like it.
The rooms will suit, I'm sure. What
sort of a janitor have they here?"

"The very best in the city, mum."
"Obliging?"

"The kindest hearted gentleman
to be found anywhere, mum."
"Honest?"

"As the day is long, mum."
"Is he attentive to his duties?"

"He's just workin' himself up
to death, mum. Always thinkin' up
some new thing to make folks com-
fortable."

"Well, I declare! I wouldn't lose
this flat for the world. Where is the
janitor now?"

"I'm him, mum."

"Read the big evening extra, the
war is all over," cried a newsboy.
The announcement that the war was
at an end naturally caused many per-
sons to purchase papers.

They anxiously scanned the head-
lines, but instead of seeing announce-
ments of the end of the European
strife they saw headlines which pro-
claimed victory for the allies in a
minor battle.

"Here, son!" shouted one man,
who had bought a paper. "What dye
mean saying the war is all over?
There isn't anything about that in
the paper you sold me."

"You stopped me before I finish-
ed yelling," was the prompt response
of the curb merchant. "I was going
to say that the war is all over Europe."

The neighborhood of Tenth park,
Liverpool, has decided drawbacks,
from the point of view at least of
some of the landlords of the cheap-
er property. It is said that an
agent, on making the usual Monday
morning call for rent at one house,

was offered half the amount. The
rent was already in arrears. He
showed his discontent. "Look here,
mister, you ought to be jolly thank-
ful you've got this. If my old man
hadn't sold the back door you'd have
got nothing."

Physician—"Well, but if your lit-
tle pig won't grow big and fat you
must go to the vet."

Woman (who has brought her pet
pig to the doctor): "Oh, doctor, I
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Boy Orator—"Caesar had his Brutus,
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Chairman of Meeting—"Go on, my
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member the make of George's car."

Walter Camp, the famous coach,
tells of a Thanksgiving day game in
Philadelphia that was played in a de-
luge of snow and rain, with Frank-
lin field a foot deep in cold, gray
slush.

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"Do we have to play football in
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"Come, come, you've won the toss;
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Honors Return
Miss Prosperity

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O K of Chicago business, bank-
ers, merchants, manufacturers
and workmen on the card of
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to Chicago for a long stay.

Incidentally the parade ushered
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as mayor of the country's
second city.

"All the large stores, fac-
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day."

Real art is to make it pay.
True blue is a term that isn't ap-
plicable to good milk.

Blood Risings Begin
A Mere Speck

Stop Them From Grow-
ing Large and
Dangerous.



Nearly everyone who uses S. S. S. for
the blood recalls a friend who went
through untold suffering as the result
of a mere pimple or small blood rising.
A host of people did not realize, until
too late, what may result from a slight
skin abrasion. But they recovered if
they used S. S. S., and in almost every
village and hamlet, every crossroad and
away back off the road is someone who
will tell you how S. S. S., the famous
blood purifier, restored his health.

It is a most interesting fact that this
remarkable vegetable medicine over-
hauls the blood in a manner that ex-
cites curious minds.

But it acts in accordance with ac-
cepted physiological laws and yet its
effect is almost beyond comprehension
to those who are wedded to such drugs
as mercury, calomel, arsenic, iodine or
fluences which all the world bears
silent testimony to their destructive
tendencies.

S. S. S. is indeed a nature's tribute
to what we need and it is worthy of
note that in almost any drug store
throughout the country you will find
it regularly in stock. Get a bottle to-
day. And if you believe yours is a
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A Second "Under Two Flags"

THE RED
MIRAGE

By I. A. R. WYLIE
Author of The Native Born, The Daughter of
Heaven, Etc.
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Gabrielle interrupted the indig-
nant protest with a quiet decision
tinged with irony.

"We are always beside ourselves
when we tell the truth, Madame Ar-
naud. But fortunately I have not
much more to say. Go to your bus-
band—tell him that Richard Farqu-
har never was and never could be
his rival in your affections—tell him
whom it was you went to meet in
the grove that night."

"I can not—what you ask is ab-
surd. Desire is incalculable—"

"Is there no other way then? Is
there no one who could help Richard
Farquhar—no one who ought to
know—no one who cares enough to
save him?"

For an instant Sylvia hesitated.
The steadfast eyes troubled her.
There was within herself an emotion
she could not fathom. It was
very like hatred.

"No," she said curtly. "And if
there was I should not interfere."
Then with a sudden almost violent
change of manner: "What is Richard
Farquhar to you?"

"A friend."

"No more than that?"

"If you asked me if I loved him,
I should say—yes."

The absolute simplicity and di-
rectness of the answer held Sylvia
for a moment in stupefied silence.
For she was one of those who are
invariably revolted by what they do
not understand, and here was some-
thing beyond her—a blinding light
in horror. Then in the rebound came a
memory; a resentment long cherish-
ed, a sudden passionate malice.

"What are you to Richard Farqu-
har?"

"I am beginning to remember—
something he told me. Are you the
woman for whom he ruined him-
self?"

"No, I am not that woman." Then
with a little touch of irrepressible
humor: "You will admit—I am
scarcely that type for whose sake
men commit excesses of that sort."

"I think you are a little shame-
less, Miss Smith."

"Why? Love is not the preroga-
tive of beauty, Madame Arnaud. Nor
does it require to be requited in or-
der to exist quite comfortably. I love
many things that I do not need or
want. I am glad other people have
them, but I am not envious."

"I don't believe that. I am begin-
ning to understand; you envy me
and hate me—you have always hated
me—and now you work against me."

"I never could have hated you
nor worked against you. Since I care
for that man, I can not hate or de-
stroy the one thing left him—his
faith in his illusion. That is only why
I have come to you now—to give you
a last chance to be what two men
believe you to be—to make your
final choice. The crisis is here, Ma-
dame Arnaud. It is for you to act."

Sylvia rose slowly. Her eyes were
fixed on her own reflection in the
glass. It was as though she were try-
ing to gather up the torn threads of
her personality into the old blame-
less pattern of perfection. There
were genuine tears on her pale
cheeks.

"Forgive me," she said, with a
tremulous gentleness. "I have been
very rude and unjust. I—I did not
understand. You see, I am very young
and very foolish. I believed so utterly
and desperately in those I loved.
I set my idols so high that when
they fell I hated them—I became
cruel and ruthless. Can't you under-
stand that? All my life I had been
so sheltered and protected I scarce-
ly knew that evil existed—and when
I met it face to face in those I had
honored it nearly killed me. It killed
my faith—"

"Madame Arnaud, that is all senti-
ment—schoolgirl sentiment—and
the life of a man, the safety of a
man depends on you. Act, for pity's
sake, as you pretend to be."

"Pretend?" The word had been
the lash of a whip cutting open a
recent wound. She turned round
with wild despairing eyes. "You use
that word, too? You mean I am a
humbug, a mass of sham virtues
and lies and artifices. It's true then.
There's nothing real in me—nothing
round in me but my selfishness.
That's what you mean, isn't it?"

"Madame Arnaud—"

"You don't need to answer. I

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suppose you feel you ought to hum-
bug a humbug. It's not necessary. I
accept it all as truth. I am worth-
less. I haven't a heart. You both
have made me see that—you've torn
down the veil. But you must take
the consequence; now I shall act sin-
cerely—according to my true self.
Please go." She sat down again and
with trembling fingers began to
plait her hair into long tresses. Her
lips were tight set, her eyes hard
with obstinacy and bitter resent-
ment, but for all that her beauty
remained—a wonderful thing which
even in that revelation of shallow
passion lifted her above herself, di-
vided her from her kind. "Please
go!" she repeated.

The gray, neat little figure came
closer.

"You are very lovely, Madame
Arnaud," Gabrielle Smith said very
gently and almost reverently. "One
understands why men suffer so much
and patiently for you. You are so
lovely that one can't believe what
you say—one's own thoughts of you.
They seem blasphemous. I see that
now. I see that I have been clumsy
and brutal; but great sufferings—
needless suffering—has made me
impatient. Forgive me. Let me plead
with the goodness that I must be-
lieve in—that I will believe in." She
clasped her hands in sudden ardent
appeal. "Madame Arnaud, you said
tonight that you had once loved
truly, surely. Prove it now to your-
self and me. A man's life is in your
power. Whatever he has done he
loved you. However low he may have
sunk, he has still that good in him
—that he holds his faith in you
higher than all doubt, that from his
depths he still looks up to you as a
saint in heaven. Madame Arnaud,
such loyalty is rare. You dare not
kill it!"

Sylvia laughed carelessly.
"That all comes too late," she
said. "You have torn me from my
pedestal. You can not put me back

again. You have freed me from every
responsibility—every illusion. You
can not plead to me for pity. You
told me I have none. And justice!
What justice dare you claim for an
outcast—a cheat, a man whom all
honest men shrink from—or for a
dissolute rone who has not shrunk
from murder? They have earned
their fate."

"And your brother?"

"What do you mean?"

"You said tonight that he was
dead. It is possible that he too de-
served death. Yet if you met the man
who had killed him—"

Sylvia's hand dropped suddenly.
"I have thought of that," she said
quietly. "Wherever he died there
must have been some man who could
have saved and helped him, some
man who could have brought him
back to us. And if I met that man
I should want to kill him. I have
killed him in my thoughts and I
have cursed him—" She broke off.
The power and feeling in her voice
was like a suddenly revealed depth
in a shallow stream. She lifted her
eyes to Gabrielle's face. "What are
you thinking?" she asked.

"I was thinking that there is a
woman in Richard Farquhar's life
who will feel as you do. You can not
touch the meanest life without some
one's curse, Madame Arnaud."

(To be Continued.)

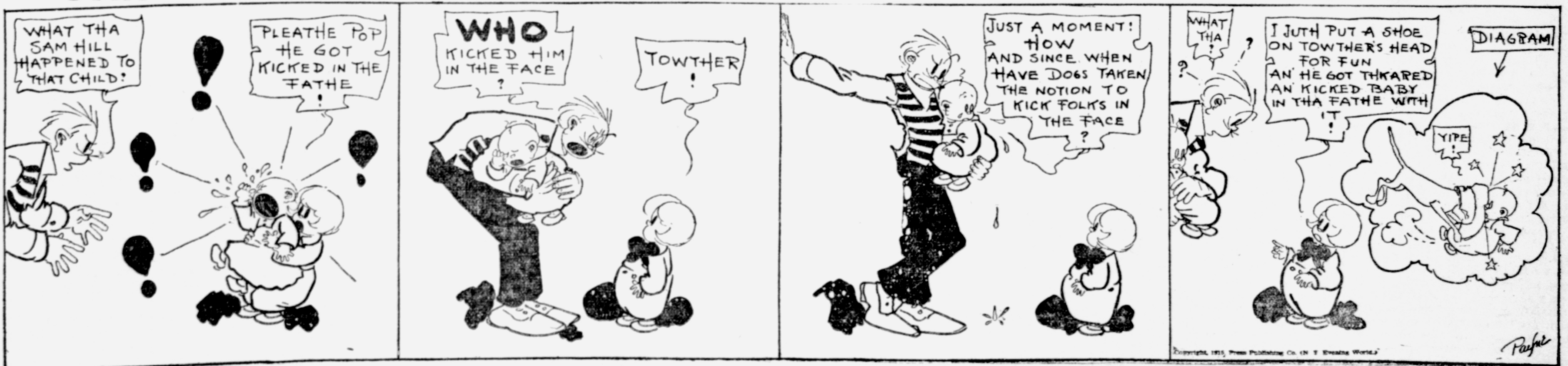
Kindness.
The spirit of unweary good will is
the great lifting power of the world.
When we can do nothing else to right
wrongs, lessen burdens or mend life's
hard places for weary feet, we can at
least be kind—kind in face, voice and
deed. And oh, how many dark places
would brighten, heavy loads grow light
and new courage come to the heart if
only simple kindness were the rule of
earth!

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If you were unable to visit the "Salon" Monday be sure and come tomorrow—it's an opportunity. Cards of entree at all departments.



BON TON

MAHONEY AT RICE LAKE

Paul W. Mahoney on Saturday assisted in the dedication of the new home of the Odd Fellows at Rice Lake, Wis. He returned to LaCrosse late today.

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NORTH SIDE

ABNER C. GRAN FILLS PULPIT AT TABERNACLE

Y. M. C. A. Secretary Conducts Services in North Side Church Now Without Regular Pastor

That the influence for unity of the religion of Jesus Christ has resulted in the gathering of more than 500,000,000 souls to Christianity as against 150,000,000 to Buddhism and 175,000,000 to Mohammedanism, was the statement of A. C. Gran, secretary of the Young Men's Christian association at Tabernacle Baptist church Sunday.

Mr. Gran's topic for the evening was "The Rejected Stone," drawn from the discourse in the gospel of St. Matthew concerning the traditional chief stone of the present day "corner stone" of the ancient tabernacles. Christ, in that chapter, he said, is likened to the chief stone of the Christian church, it being the wish of the Lord during his last week on earth to become the chief stone of the Kingdom of God. People everywhere, Mr. Gran said, have responded to the influence of the chief stone of the church. He said there is not a nation on the globe where Christ is not worshipped.

MUSICAL EVENING AT IMMANUEL

One of the most entertaining church programs presented on the north side this year will be given tomorrow evening by the Young People's society of Immanuel Lutheran church, St. Paul and Avon streets.

The program:

Piano solo, Music Among the Pines—Irene Pierce.

(a) Down by the Sea; (b) Sah' ein Knab' ein Roeslein stehn—Ladies' chorus.

Violin Humoresque—Eugene Bergholz.

Vocal, Wenn der Frühling auf die Berge steigt—Caroline Limpert.

Mixed Quartet, Will you love me when I'm bald—Esther Bolduan, Gertrude Retzlaff, Otto Schwarz and John Tietz.

Dialogue: Der Vetter aus Deutschland. Jacob Stubenrauch, Walter Boenick, Frank Haefner, Herr Muehlbach; Arthur Haefner, Ein Fremder; Amelia Brankman, Miss Southgate; Elsie, Anna Wittenberg; Mabel, Muriella Granke, Mr. Muehlbach's daughters.

PART II

Piano: Alpine Horn, Irene Pierce.

Vocal: Meines Basses Grundgehalt—C. F. Pape.

Trio: Dreams of Home—C. Pape, E. Bergholz, Dorothy Manke.

Vocal: Das Grab auf der Heide—Caroline Limpert.

Dialogue: That Spot on the Stairs. Herm. Tietz, Mr. Piper; Rose Will Mrs. Piper; Edna Heideman, Bridget; Melvin Pierce, Mr. Pepper; Gertrude Retzlaff, Mrs. Pepper; Esther Bolduan, Miranda.

Good Night—Quartet.

BOY SCOUTS PLAY BALL

Bob White patrol, Boy Scouts, on Saturday defeated the Eagle patrol, 11 to 10 in baseball at Copeland park. The score was tied in the ninth inning. The battery for the Bob Whites was Jenks and Pendergast; for the Eagles, Swennes and Peterman.

past week at the home of Mrs. William Herman, 818 Berlin street.

Miss Eva Lemke, who has been the guest of north side friends, has returned to her home in Stoddard.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tietz, Avon street, a son.

J. G. Dubraks has moved his household goods from 1643 Avon street to 1511 Caledonia.

HELPFUL WORDS

From a La Crosse Citizen
Is your back lame and painful?
Does it ache especially after exertion?

Is there a soreness in the kidney region?

These symptoms suggest weak kidneys.

If so there is danger in delay. Weak kidneys get fast weaker. Give your trouble prompt attention.

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Read this La Crosse testimony. G. A. Phelps, 1402 Jackson St., La Crosse, says: "I suffered severely from kidney trouble and the backache that generally goes with it. I have used Doan's Kidney Pills for this trouble and have had great relief. I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills strongly to anyone who needs a good kidney medicine."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Phelps had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

"Whys" of Moves in European War

(BY J. W. T. MASON)

NEW YORK, April 26.—(11 a. m.)—Germany's further successes near Ypres do not carry the Kaiser's advance any distance to the west. Reading the official Berlin report without the aid of a map creates the impression that the Germans have driven the French and British forces still further westward and that the German trenches have been advanced a few villages nearer to Calais.

This, however, is not true. The Germans have been halted west of the Ypres canal and the center of the fighting is now five miles to the east. This peculiar situation is the result of the narrow front along which the first German advance last week was made. The Germans are now holding this hard won lane from Langemark to the Ypres canal and at the same time are attempting to widen it to the south.

For this purpose, they have brought up new troops southeast of Langemark and are trying to drive forward once more to the Ypres canal along a wider front. This objective, of course, is Calais, which is nearly 85 miles away over a heavily entrenched terrain. The purpose of the advance is to reach the sea.

RHEUMATISM A MYSTERY

Some diseases give immunity from another attack but rheumatism works just the other way.

Every attack of rheumatism invites another. Worse than that it reduces the body's power so that each attack is worse than the one before.

If any disease weeds curing early it is rheumatism but there is almost no disease which physicians find more difficult to treat successfully. When a medicine does help rheumatism nobody knows how or why it does it.

All authorities agree that the blood becomes thin with alarming rapidity as rheumatism develops. Maintaining the quality of the blood therefore is a reasonably way of preventing and combating rheumatism. That it works out in fact is shown by the beneficial results in the treatment of rheumatism, acute, muscular and articular, with the blood tonic, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

That hundreds who take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for their rheumatism get well is a fact beyond dispute. That the rheumatism does not return as long as the blood is kept rich and red is equally true.

Write the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for the free pamphlet "Building Up the Blood" and kindly mention this paper. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

HAS BROKEN DOWN WITHOUT GAINING INTO THE PASSES

Petrograd Reports of Successes Specifically Denied in Today's Communique

VIENNA, April 24.—Via Wireless from Berlin through Sayville, L. I., to the United Press, April 26.—That not only has the Russian assault on the Austro-Hungarian positions leading to the Carpathians completely broken down, but that at no single point has the enemy been able to make any serious impression on the Austrian line, is the claim made at headquarters. Today's bulletin, covering the fighting up to today, declares that the Russians have been rolled back with enormous losses. The communique says:

"In the Carpathians the enemy's attacks against the important sectors of the front, especially on the best roads for invading Hungary, through the Ondawa, Laborza and Ung valleys, have completely failed. Balked in these frontal attacks, the enemy tried out flanking operations in the valley of the upper Czipoka near Nagypoliny, and near the source of this river. Here heavy fighting which lasted several days took place but the enemy was unable to make any definite progress. The Russians lost many thousands in killed and wounded and we took three thousand un wounded prisoners."

Replying to various Russian "official" bulletins circulated abroad relating to successes in the Carpathians it is stated that despite all efforts and sacrifices the enemy have been unable to make any real headway and they have not made the slightest gain in the direction of the Uzsok defile their main objective. The Austrian lines have held firm everywhere. On the other fronts there have been nothing but artillery duels and the situation everywhere is unchanged."

FORAKER'S SON DIES

NEW YORK, April 24.—Joseph Benson Foraker, 43, son of former U. S. Senator Joseph B. Foraker, of Ohio, died early today in his cottage at Manhattan Beach. He had been ill for six months of pernicious anemia.

ZEPPELIN DESTROYED.

AMSTERDAM, April 26.—Reports reaching here today say that during the recent allied air attacks on the German positions in Belgium an aerodrome at Gontrode was destroyed and a Zeppelin, stored therein, was completely demolished.

CLIMB TO SAFETY

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 26.—Two men imprisoned in a rooming house which was afire here this morning, climbed down a ladder and escaped. These two had been imprisoned in the upper floors and there had been fears for their safety.

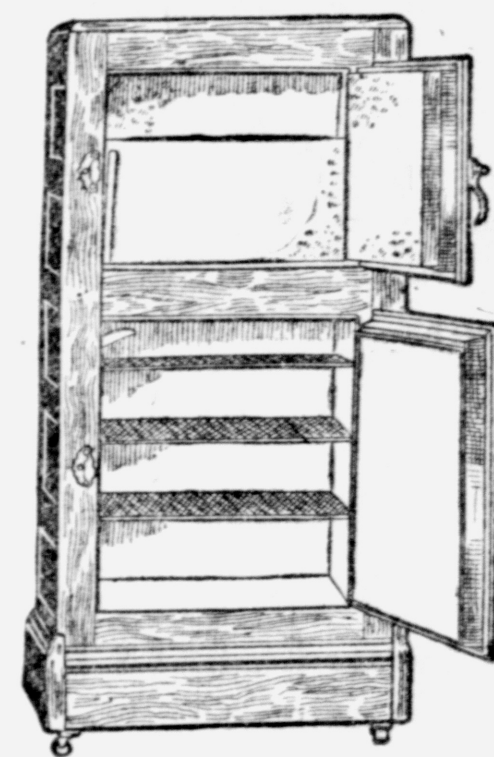
Proper Light Important.

Light is of first importance to the reader. In the daytime the light should come over the shoulder from the side or from the back, and the reader should sit in such a position that there will be no shadow on the book. However, if the reader sits in the full sun, the shadow of the shoulders on the pages of the book is a relief to the eyes, for bright sunlight on print is trying.

pose of the advance is now seen to be to force the British out of Ypres. Whether the Germans have determined on a major assault to capture Ypres cannot become known until further efforts have been made. The British have undoubtedly called up large reserves for holding Ypres and they are no longer in a position to be surprised. If the Germans are to make further advances now, the losses must be very great, as has always happened to the attacking side in the present war.

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BLANCHARD FUNERAL TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Martha B. Blanchard, who died early Saturday morning at her home, 1133 Caledonia street, after an illness of several months, was held this afternoon at two o'clock at Sparta from the home of the sister, Mrs. W. S. Steele. Interment was made in Woodlawn cemetery.

AUTOIST KILLED

CHICAGO, April 26.—When an automobile in which he was riding with several other young persons turned turtle today, near Hinsdale, Richard D. Eutis was instantly killed. Eutis was in the Welfare department of the W. C. Ritchey company box factory.

Daily Thought.

A wrongdoer is often a man that has left something undone, not always he that has done something.—Marcus Aurelius.

ARRESTED AT PRISON GATE

JOLIET, Ill., April 26.—As Harry Walters walked from the pen here today a free man, after serving three years and ten months for horse stealing, federal officers seized him. He is under indictment, the authorities say, for sending a blackhand letter demanding \$500 from John Schank, a prominent farmer of Bryant, South Dakota, in May, 1910.

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MATINEE **REELS 6**
2:00 to 4:30 **REELS 6**
EVENINGS **REELS 6**
7:00 to 11:00

ONE OF TODAY'S FEATURES

"A PRINCE OF PEACE"

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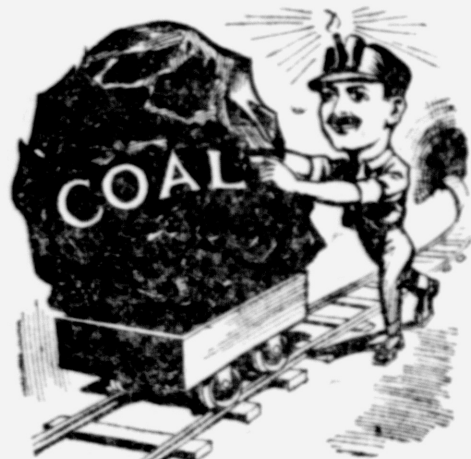
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Personals

B. A. Yoomen dance Tuesday.
N. E. Bakke, Rio, Wis., was a business caller in the city Saturday.
Mrs. T. F. Beaser, West Salem, spent Saturday in La Crosse.
Miss Frieda Loeffler left Saturday for Elkhorn, Wyo.

N. F. Way, Minneapolis, transacted business in this city Friday and Saturday.
Have you ord. Loomis perennials.
C. E. Butten, Chicago, was a business caller in the city Saturday.

N. J. French, Chicago, called on business friends in the city Saturday.

Carl Scheel, Curtis Doering and Earl Wilhelm yesterday made a bicycle trip to West Salem. They returned early in the evening.

A. A. Lanken has returned to his home in Decorah, Iowa, after spending Saturday in the city on business.

John Thompson, Spring Grove, Minn., was the guest of friends in the city for a short time Saturday.

George Rud, Decorah, Iowa, was a business caller in La Crosse Saturday.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co. for your next back call. Phone 179.

Rudolph Kappe, Cedar Grove, Wis., spent Saturday in the city on business.

P. F. Whalen, Canton, Minn., called in La Crosse on business for a short time Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. McVay of Stoddard are spending a few days on their honeymoon in La Crosse. Mr. McVay is a government contractor.

J. C. Graf, Freeburg, Minn., called on friends and relatives in the city Saturday.

Amor C. Bangsberg returned this morning to his home in Viroqua from a several days' visit at the home of his brother, A. C. Bangsberg, 1311 King street.

L. A. Langlie, Dorchester, Iowa, was a business caller in La Crosse Saturday.

Attorney A. H. Schubert returned this afternoon from Austin, Minn., where he yesterday was principal speaker at the initiation of a class of candidates of the Austin and Albert Lea councils of the Knights of Columbus.

Alex Hendrickson, Holmen, spent Saturday in the city on business.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during our late bereavement, the loss of our beloved husband and father, John D. Wilson. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Jones, the Woodmen and Knights of Pythias, and those who sent floral offerings.
Mrs. John D. Wilson and Daughter,
Mrs. Geo. E. Maine.

SALESMAN DENIES GUILT IN WESTERN IRRIGATION CASE

CHICAGO, April 26.—George H. Osborne, salesman in the New York office of the William Farson company, who was indicted with William and John Farson and several Denver millionaires in connection with alleged irrigation frauds today pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Federal Judge Landis. Osborne's bond was fixed at \$5,000.

MISSIONARY AND HOTTENTOT

This is the title of a poem by Frank K. Stanton, which is a stirring commentary on the present war and sets forth the answer of the infidel Hottentot to the eloquent plea of the missionary. The poem is illustrated in full color and will comprise the front page of the magazine section of the New York Sunday Herald, May 2.

This section will also contain a story of particular interest to every Catholic in the United States—the centenary of the old St. Patrick's Cathedral, in Mott street, New York city. Other features will comprise a story entitled "Woman Behind Successful Plays," telling a story of the moving force in the famous Herne family, as well as a remarkable story describing the manner in which Maude Anderson Lincoln recovered her sight "like the snapping of the fingers."

The special fortnightly Fashion Magazine will also be issued with this number and no woman who would be well dressed should fail to obtain a copy of the New York Herald, Sunday, May 2.

No Disputing It.

"Introspection," says a Boston minister, "is more profitable than retrospection." Of course it is. Retrospection merely reveals to the average man what a tattered fool he has been; introspection, if he is honest with himself, reveals to him what a blossoming jackass he is.—Houston Post.

Hoarseness.

As soon as you have any indication of hoarseness take a large fresh lemon and bake it until it is soft, squeeze out the juice and sweeten. Take a teaspoonful every 15 minutes until relieved.

Prairie Dogs' Occupation.

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On the Job.

There are two kinds of clock watchers: One sees how much longer he must work before he can go home—the other sees how much longer he can work before he must go home.—Ford Times.

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THE MAN IN BLACK

In four parts.

Evening 7 o'clock.

GIRL DIES AFTER RIDE WITH YOUTH

Coroner Finds Signs of Poison and Police Hunt for Friend Who Bought Strychnine

CHICAGO, April 26.—Following the mysterious death Saturday evening of pretty Katherine Roller, 17, daughter of a wealthy Broadview, Logan county, Ill., farmer, Coroner William Ryan today came to Chicago to enlist the aid of local police in solving the mystery.

Coroner Ryan today told the following facts regarding the girl's death. She went riding with a boy friend just after dinner Saturday. Returning about 9 o'clock she suddenly was stricken with convulsions. Within a few minutes she was dead. Just before she died she said she had eaten some candy on the buggy ride. A cursory examination, Coroner Ryan said, shows signs of strychnine in the girl's stomach. Police learned that a former sweetheart of Miss Roller bought strychnine there Friday, saying he wanted it for a sick horse. The young man is being looked for today.

GOTHAM SWEATS AT 88

NEW YORK, April 26.—Cooler breezes today jostled summer back into its pew after the hottest April Sunday in the history of the weather bureau. The mercury touched 88; there were three heat prostrations and two publicly worn straw hats. Five thousand bathers tested the water at Coney.

Havana's Water Supply.

For more than three hundred years the water supply of the city of Havana was carried through an open ditch, built in 1592. The supply originated at the springs of the Almendares river, nine miles south of the city, and this source still provides an adequate flow, for the springs, which have since been fully developed, number 400 and are enclosed by a heavy wall of masonry which is constantly under military guard. An aqueduct has long since supplanted the ditch.

On the Matrimonial Sea.

It is said of Nathaniel Bowditch, the distinguished mathematician and navigator, that he made it a rule of his life never to allow his wife to come into his presence without his expressing in some way his pleasure in her being there. And that, as another has said, was a very good rule of navigation.—Delineator.

Society

LA CROSSE WOMAN'S CLUB

The La Crosse Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Earl Mell, 1629 Wood street. Mrs. Schlabach was the leader. Roll call was responded to by giving some household hint. Mrs. Pope handled her subject, "Modern Insanities of Every Day Life," very capably. She also gave selections from Ella Wheeler Wilcox's "Woman's Greatest Need," and from "Our Common Road" by Agnes Edwards.

Mrs. Harner and Mrs. Nelson gave a very pleasing duet. The committee on "The Liberty Bell Club" gave their report. The work has been presented to the teachers of the various schools on this side, who have in turn put it before their pupils. It was very well received, with many pledges coming in.

The club is planning for the sale of flower seeds as is usual. The seeds will soon be ready. Prizes will given as is the custom.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. Robert W. Keyes will entertain the Woman's Guild of Christ Episcopal church Thursday afternoon at the guild rooms. Instead of at the house, as was announced in the Advent.

MISS OSWELLER GIVES SHOWER

Miss Anna Osweller gave a shower Friday evening in honor of Miss Lillian Nowak, who is to be married Tuesday. Those present were the Misses Lucile Schleiter, Ethel Storch, Ruth Atkinson, Nina Lien, Meta Moewes, Meta Goethe. The bride-to-be was presented with a beautiful cut glass platter.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the first Tuesday, being the fourth day of May, A. D. 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered, namely:

The application of Frederick Boltermann, administrator of the estate of Annie C. Yanken, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such administrator and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to said persons as are entitled to the same.

Dated April 12, 1915.

By order of the Court,

JOHN BRINDLEY,

County Judge.

FIRST OF CLASS GAMES AT HIGH

Class baseball fans at the high school will be given an opportunity to root for their teams for the first time tonight after school, when the first game of the year will be played in the class championship league between the seniors and the sophomores. The grounds are in good condition and both teams have been practicing for the past two weeks. Although the seniors were defeated by the normal physical education team, they expect to defeat the sophs by a decisive score. The sophomores have a strong nine, however, and may be expected to give the upper classmen a surprise.

PREPARE QUARTERS FOR 5,000 GERMANS IN THE TRENTINO

MILAN, April 26.—If Italy enters the war she will be confronted right from the outset by first line German troops. Reliable advices received today say that the Trentino authorities have already prepared quarters for 5,000 German troops now enroute.

BURY MRS. BLANCHARD

SPARTA, Wis., April 26.—(Special.)—The body of Mrs. Martha B. Blanchard of La Crosse, who died at her home in La Crosse Saturday morning after a long illness, was brought to Sparta yesterday afternoon and taken to the Wm. S. Steele home. The funeral was held at the Steele home this afternoon at two o'clock. And interment was made in Woodlawn cemetery.

Cold Feet Cause Broken Sleep.
A common cause for restlessness at night is found in cold feet, and these should be especially guarded against with children who are prone to suffer in this way. Hot water bottles, carefully covered with felt so that there is no risk of burning the sensitive skin, should be resorted to when any tendency to cold feet exists, and in cases of chilly babies generally, cold is extremely bad for little children, and much broken sleep is due simply to it.

The Way to Clean Lamp Glasses.
Here is an excellent way to clean lamp glasses: Hold them over a jug of boiling water until they are well steamed; then polish with a soft dry rag. This is a much easier way than washing them, and the glasses very rarely break.

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HONESTY IS ISSUE VROOMANDECLARES

Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Holds Co-operation
Foe of Crooked
Business

MUSKOGEE, Okla., April 26.—Declaring the paramount business issue to be psychological, and taking co-operation as the keynote of his address, Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture, was the principal speaker at the opening session of the Southern Commercial congress.

He divided business organization into three types, naming those founded upon privilege, upon regulated competition and upon co-operation. Regulated competition, involving co-operation is the method of the day, he declared.

"That there is a community of interest between the farmer and the railroads or the banks does not admit of doubt but that there is an identity of interests does not follow," asserted Vrooman. "After they all have worked together for their common advantage there is left a zone where some men by stealth or craft profit at the expense of others and it is upon this zone that co-operation is encroaching."

"One could not tell a man with a controlling ambition to pile up millions that the quickest way to realization lies along the paths of legitimate enterprises. The paramount issue before the people today is not the tariff, nor corporation control, nor any of the economic or political problems so glibly discussed by the newspapers. The paramount issue is the psychological one of personal, fundamental honesty."

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MAN CARRYING A FORTUNE IS LOST

Hotel Owner with \$80,000
in Cash, Bonds and Jewelry Drops Out of Sight
Since Last Tuesday

CHICAGO, April 26.—Police authorities of Illinois, Indiana and Michigan today co-operated in search for Benjamin Mincer, hotel owner, who has been mysteriously missing since he left his home here last Tuesday with \$50,000 in cash in a traveling bag. Besides the money, Mincer, his wife believes, carried \$20,000 worth of bonds and wore \$1,000 worth of jewelry.

Mincer-told his wife he was going to South Haven, Mich., to purchase a summer hotel.

That was the last seen of him. Mrs. Mincer believes thugs, attracted by her husband's jewelry, held him up, and then after discovering the enormous loot, killed him.



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Postum comes in two forms: Postum Cereal—the original form—has to be well boiled, 15c and 25c packages. Instant Postum—soluble—made instantly in a cup with hot water, adding cream and sugar to taste, 30c and 50c tins. Made according to directions, both kinds are equally delicious, and the cost per cup is about the same.

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TO BOX FOR CHARITY

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 26.—That all proceeds of ten round boxing meets in Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth should go to charity, is the proposition that Fred R. Thompson, member of the commission made today. Governor Hammond has signed the bill and it is in effect today.

Washing Won't Rid Head Of Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight, and by morning most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

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NEW CLOUDBURST IN TEXAS YESTERDAY

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age of Other
Storms

AUSTIN, Texas, April 24.—Sixteen inches of rain since Thursday has fallen here. The third storm, a cloudburst yesterday, did practically no damage. Wreckage of other storms was washed away but no lives lost. Reports from the southwest report continuance of floods and cyclones, though no further loss of life is noted.

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PAROCHIAL SCHOOL WATER THREATENED BY WILLIAM GROVER

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council Alderman Grover will argue that the old rate of full charges be re-installed and the city receive pay for all water consumed, thereby netting the city \$500 per year.

Houska Also Has Figures

Answering the figures of Mr. Grover, Alderman J. C. Houska has prepared figures showing that if the parochial schools should suspend, the city would be forced to accommodate 1,400 more students.

Five new schools would be needed to accommodate this number. At \$40,000 each this would amount to \$200,000, he says. Then there would be required thirty-five additional teachers, at a salary of \$600 each. This expense totals \$21,000. A janitor for each school in addition at the same salary adds another \$3,000 to the sum. Fuel for the schools, at a conservative estimate, would amount

HOW T. R. WORKED WITH BOSS PLATT IS TOLD IN TRIAL

Most Unfavorable Evidence Yet Given Against the Colonel Brought Out Today

T. R. HAND IN GLOVE WITH MACHINE

Roosevelt Frankly Admits Platt Was Boss and He Worked with Him

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 26.—Old ghosts today rose to haunt Colonel Roosevelt as a political Hamlet. Political stories of the past were reopened and the dealing of Roosevelt while governor and president with William Barnes and former Senator Platt, the "easy boss," were bared. Dead men's ashes were raked for evidence impugning Roosevelt's past course.

Worked With Machine

From Platt's executors, scores of letters were produced by Barnes to show how Roosevelt worked with Platt, consulted him regarding appointments and state legislation, and was hand in hand in glove with the republican machine. The evidence was the most unfavorable yet given against Roosevelt. Yet it seemed not to disturb him greatly. He frankly admitted that Platt was the boss and that he worked with him.

Roosevelt's sympathy with Mr. Barnes' opposition to renomination of Gov. Hughes was also shown by letters produced. But, the colonel qualified, "I felt that the political machine should not be used by the organization, even if they had grievances with which I sympathized, to defeat the popular will."

Roosevelt admitted how he met Platt and the latter's son, Frank, frequently at private breakfasts in New York while he was governor to discuss patronage and other matters. In one letter from Platt's letter files, the colonel asked that an architect friend be allowed to bid on a government contract and asked Platt to see that his friend was allowed to compete.

T. R. Gave Way to Platt

The Platt-Roosevelt letters disclosed in detail their long and frequent correspondence, their frequent consultations over appointments and Roosevelt's acquiescence in Platt's wishes in many matters.

Roosevelt showed little signs that he was perturbed over the revelations. He took evident pains to hold his temper, when Attorney Barnum, succeeding Ivis in the colonel's cross examination, went after him with the intent of rousing the colonel's ire.

DRUMMERS HIT BY TIME CHANGE OF STAGE LINE

Traveling men who have been accustomed to make connections with the Mindoro stage coach out of West Salem in the past will find themselves inconvenienced considerably by a change in the time schedule of the coach.

Whereas in the past the coach left West Salem at ten-thirty, allowing two hours between the time of the arrival of the early Northwestern train from La Crosse, the change in the schedule makes the coach leave three hours earlier or one hour before the arrival of the La Crosse train.

Coming from Mindoro, the coach leaves at one-thirty and arrives in West Salem at five-thirty. These changes in time will necessitate a layover of a whole day for the traveling men who have Mindoro on their run unless they hire a conveyance for the day.

BUSINESS IS GOOD SAYS F. H. BURGESS

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of the TRIBUNE, whose membership in the association he represented during the convention. Mr. Burgess, who returned to La Crosse last night, was much impressed with the optimism which seems general throughout the country.

An interesting feature of a banquet attended by Mr. Burgess was enjoyed by the delegates through courtesy of the Bell Telephone company. During the banquet there was a telephone receiver at the elbow of each guest, and as the dinner proceeded they heard, from across the entire continent, an address to them by the mayor of San Francisco, followed by a cabaret performance given at the exposition grounds near the Golden Gate.

Mr. Burgess feels that President Wilson's address on "neutrality," which was published in full in the TRIBUNE last week, made a profound impression on the newspaper men.

CALL IS ISSUED FOR COUNTY BOARD

Valentine S. Kepple, chairman of the county board of supervisors, has issued a call for the organization of the board on May 27 to elect officers for the new administration. R. D. Davis of Bancor and V. S. Kepple of Onalaska are chairmanship candidates.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Louis J. Chapiewsky and wife today disposed of property in Clinton and Blackwell's addition of La Crosse to Joseph E. Weber, the consideration being \$1,150. Philetus O. Fox sold four lots in the village of Newton to Ebbie Erickson for \$1,500.

"Funny Bunny's" Reel Is Ended



John Bunney
NEW YORK, April 26.—John Bunney, 52, famous "movie funny-man," died at his home in Brooklyn today of Bright's disease. He is survived by a widow and two children, George 32, and John, Jr., 21.

HELP!

Following a meeting last week of the Occupational Committee of the La Crosse High School Alumni association, Superintendent L. P. Beneset, Principal B. E. McCormick of the high school and representatives of the Twentieth Century club and the La Crosse Women's club, the High School Free Employment Bureau is now established.

The office of the bureau is in the high school, and today Miss Winnifred Forbes took charge as secretary.

The office opened with fifty applications from high school pupils and alumni, who desire work part or all of the time. It is planned to get into touch with people who need help, and it is believed that not only will the needs of many students or alumni be relieved, but that service will be done for citizens who wish to secure competent helpers.

The women's clubs are mothering the enterprise, and will press their plans upon the attention of the public.

H. D. GURLEY DIES AT LA CRESCENT

Huitt Delevan Gurley, practically the last of the ante-bellum pioneers of La Crescent, Minn., died at 4:20 Saturday afternoon, from paralysis. Mr. Gurley came to La Crescent in 1858, and for thirty years followed the blacksmith's trade. He then became associated with the La Crescent Pickling and Canning company, from which business he retired a few years ago.

In 1912 Mr. Gurley was stricken with paralysis, but recovered to some extent until a second stroke last year confined him to his home until the end.

The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon from the Presbyterian church in La Crescent. Rev. D. C. Jones, of the First Presbyterian church, La Crosse, will officiate. Morning Star Lodge No. 29, A. F. and A. M., will conduct the funeral.

Mr. Gurley was born January 12, 1837, in Altma, Oswego Co., New York. April 28, 1857, he married Mary P. Whitney. One child born to them died in infancy, and on October 8, 1888, Mrs. Gurley died. On August 10, 1892, Sophia L. Schroeder became Mrs. Gurley, and to them one son, Delevan L. Gurley, was born. With the wife and son Mr. Gurley leaves a stepbrother, Wm. F. E. Gurley of Chicago.

For many years Mr. Gurley has been a citizen of influence in La Crescent, where he was widely known and much beloved.

CYCLISTS COAST TO DEATH UNDER ENGINEER'S WHEELS

AURORA, Ill., April 26.—Alvin Schwind, nephew of Alderman Moss and Nicholas Dietteman, son of a Burlington railroad official, were instantly killed and their bodies horribly mutilated today when the motorcycle on which they were riding crashed under the driving wheels of a fast moving Northwestern locomotive today. The boys were going down Illinois avenue hill at the rate of 50 miles an hour and were unable to stop when they saw the locomotive.

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YELLOW NATIONS SETTLE SQUABBLE

Reported That Jap-Chinese Agreement Has Been Concluded Following British Announcement

JAPANESE TAKE KIAO CHAU WORKS

Washington Is Undecided Whether to Approve or Disapprove Reported Arrangement

PEKIN, April 26.—The effect of Sir Edward Grey's statement regarding the unchanged British policy in China has been remarkable. Despite the repeated denials of all responsible Japanese officials it was believed that a secret undisclosed agreement between England and Japan must have existed. This appeared to be the only explanation of the astounding hundred days that have just passed.

While from the Japanese side only semi-official statements are available concerning certain changes in demands, it is believed generally that the Japanese minister, Dr. Hiroki is proceeding to Tokio to report a full agreement.

Japan, apart from everything else, has acquired the government enterprise at Tsing Tau valued at \$35,000,000 while the indirect value of other improvements at Kiaochow is a further \$50,000,000, more than recouping the costs of her expeditionary forces.

WASHINGTON, April 26.—Officials familiar with the far-east disagreed today concerning Japanese-Chinese relations. One group held Japan's modified demands did not ask more than its geographical position entitles it to. Another view was that Peking could not yield without jeopardizing Chinese independence. The administration was inclined to favor the former opinion.

BOMBARDMENT OF DARDANELLES FORTS IS RESUMED TODAY

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the supreme attempt of the German general staff to hack through to Calais.

Official Report Claims Recovery

LONDON, April 26.—The press bureau in an official statement today says that the British troops have stopped two determined German assaults directed from Passchendaele (five miles southeast of Langemark and seven miles northeast of Ypres) toward the allied line at Broesdeinde. The fighting is declared to be continuing with the utmost desperation but the allied lines holding everywhere. Some reports claim that the Germans have been driven entirely from the west bank of the Yser canal, but the official reports did not make such a claim. All that is stated up to the present time is that the allies are slowly recovering ground already ceded.

The story sent by a correspondent of the London Daily Mail claiming that this latest and greatest German drive is being directed by Field Marshal von Hindenburg is not confirmed from any other source. The report is not generally credited.

The press bureau reports say that the French authorities say that between the Meuse and the Moselle, the Germans, after a failure against Calonne, have repositioned toward St. Remy, for the purpose of taking Epargne. The fighting has been very violent, but the French lines are holding fast.

MAJESTIC STAGE IS MOVIE GARDEN

Stage Manager Has Decorated It in Japanese Style for Spring and Summer Run of Films

Much favorable comment was elicited yesterday when the Majestic theater started its spring and summer run of moving pictures by the arrangement of the stage. Under the direction of Stage Manager William Froise the moving picture screen has become the center of a garden on the Japanese style. The orchestra, of five pieces, is partly masked in a rustic pergola to the left of the stage, and the effect of its location and surroundings is much enhanced by Japanese lanterns strung upon two beams of the pergola. The rest of the stage is banked with greenery and flowering plants, as well as many cut flowers, which were obtained from the La Crosse Floral company.

MISS HEINEMAN CALLED

Miss Otella Heineman, age 22, died Saturday at a local hospital after a sickness of nearly three weeks. She is survived by a sister, Anna, who is a sister of charity, and an uncle, William Scherrer of this city. Both parents of Miss Heineman died while she was still in infancy and she has been raised by her uncle until her death.

The funeral will be held from the home of her uncle at 622 South Ninth street, tomorrow morning at 8:30, and at 9 o'clock from the St. Joseph Cathedral. Rev. Father G. Sluyter will officiate and interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

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THINK DR. ALLEN IS SEEKING JOB

Felling in Madison Objects to Investigators Taking Position Following Survey

MADISON, Wis., April 26.—The idea that Dr. William H. Allen would accept a "job" in the "bureau of efficiency," which he is seeking to have the state establish, has created something of a stir in the state capital, and may result in a legislative protest or prohibition.

Dr. Allen and Mr. Farmer were formerly connected with the New York Bureau of Research. They were brought here by the state, the former to make a survey of the state university, the latter to make a survey of the state normal schools. Until recently Dr. Allen stayed at the Farmer home.

Mr. Farmer is now occupying a \$1,000 job in the pay of the state in connection with the normal schools which he investigated. The position could not have been secured without the approval of the normal regents.

Although his survey has been completed, Dr. Allen is staying on in the pay of the state, for the ostensible purpose of interpreting his report to the legislature. He has bombarded the legislature and a state mailing list with bulletins urging the establishment of a bureau of efficiency. He advocates this in his university report and in his recent Milwaukee speech, and he pressed it upon the committee on education during a recent hearing.

It is said Dr. Allen has intimated that he would accept the directorship of the proposed bureau of research; at least he is regarded as being in a receptive mood. There are those who regard his close association with Mr. Farmer, who made a survey and got a job, and his staying on here and advocating a bureau of efficiency, as evidence of a purpose to investigate himself into a job.

The New York Bureau of Research, of which Dr. Allen is a product, is not founded upon the "Wisconsin Idea." It had its support from millionaires, and lacks the democracy which Wisconsin regards as fundamental.

Feeling has developed to the extent that the legislature may intervene to prevent Dr. Allen from creating a bureau and taking a job in that bureau.

First Principle of Precept.
Impossible is the precept. "Know thyself," till it be translated into this partially possible one, "Know what thou canst work at."—Thomas Carlyle.

KLEIST SUIT IS THROWN OUT OF NEW YORK COURT

Case in Which Mate Asked Wife's Rich Parents for \$250,000 Balm Ends Abruptly

NEW YORK, April 26.—Max Kleist's \$250,000 suit for alienation of his wife's affections against his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Breitung, was this afternoon thrown out of court by Judge Hough.

At the conclusion of all the testimony, counsel for the defense made the motion that the suit be dismissed for lack of evidence and Judge Hough sustained it.

Another Copper Is Rooseveltian 'Andy' Has a Son

August Anderson is a policeman. August Anderson reads the TRIBUNE. In the TRIBUNE Anderson saw the announcement of the births of heirs to three other policemen in April. Mr. Anderson is also a new papa. Mr. Anderson, junior, was born on April 2nd, long before the other three young lusties saw light, he says. For all the above reasons, August Anderson thinks his son should be given his rightful announcement. This, he says, should have been made at the same time as the others or even before, as the youthful Anderson is the senior of all the others.

When It's Wound.
No matter how fast a clock may run it always winds up at the same place.—Judge.

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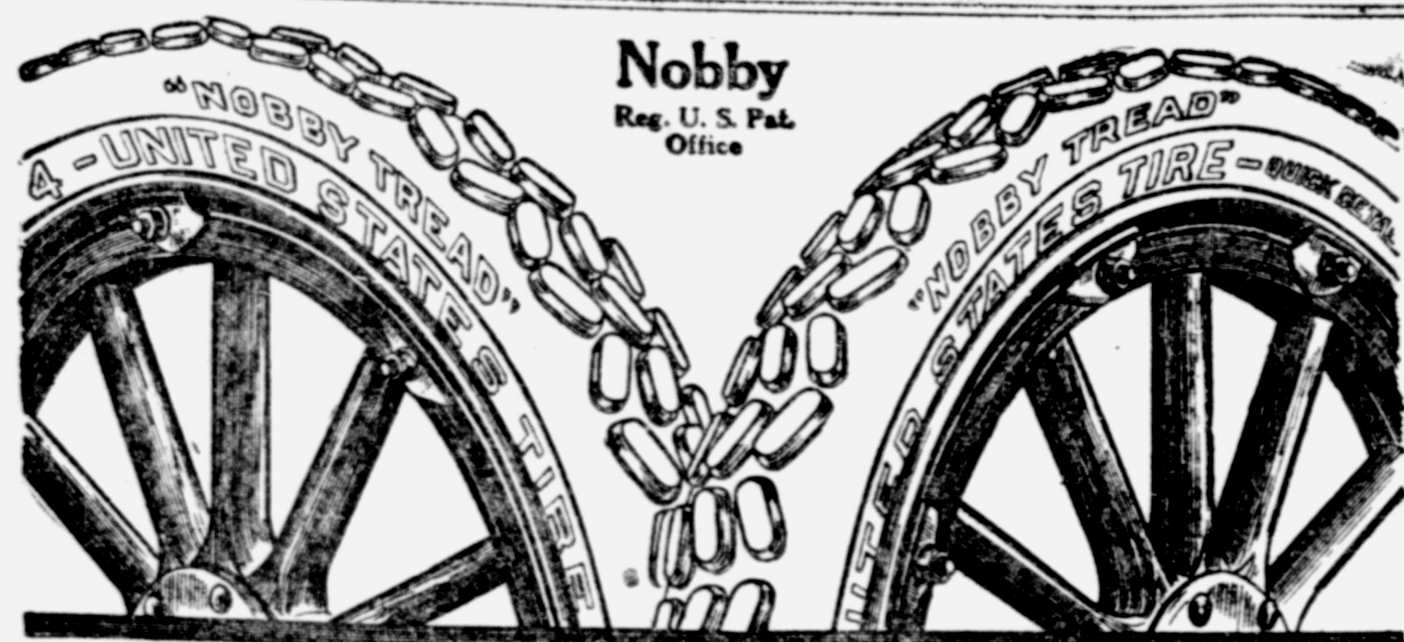
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J. V. Winter	50	47
A. J. Roberge	50	47
Frank Schwalbe	50	44
H. B. Bozard	50	40
C. F. Sutor	50	39
Gus Rose	50	32
Glenn White	50	22
Mrs. Frank Schwalbe	50	22
J. E. Higbee	25	20
Doubles		
J. V. Winter	24	23
A. J. Roberge	24	20
F. Schwalbe	24	19
C. F. Sutor	24	15
Glenn White	24	8

BADGERS THIRD IN FOUR MILE RELAY AT PENNSYLVANIA

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 26.—The University of Wisconsin four mile relay team composed of Schardt, Merrill, Hedges and Harvey, Saturday took third place in the national championship held under the auspices of the University of Pennsylvania. The event was won by the Cornell team in 18:07 3-5. Michigan was second.



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TRACK PROSPECTS BRIGHT AT HIGH

Ten or Twelve Men Will Be Sent to the State Meet at Madison on May 29

La Crosse high this year has more and better chances to "cop" the state championship in track than ever before. Coach Horne's team this year is efficient in all branches and promises to give the Milwaukee schools, which usually win the state championship, a hard rub for the cup.

Ten or twelve men at least will probably be sent to Madison to take part in the meet May 29. Walter Reget and Roland Valier will probably represent the school in the high jump, both having made five feet six inches in practice. Russell Weeks and Paul Jenks are looked upon as probable men in the pole vault. Ten feet has been done by both Stupka and Reget will represent La Crosse in the broad jump, and Stupka will also probably run the hundred yard dash. Krenz and Thompson are making good time in the mile run. Krenz having made it in five minutes and nine seconds. Kulcynski and Kelly are doing well in the hurdles and may represent the school in those events. In the half mile and shotput, Fay has been doing well. He made the half mile in 2:14, and put the twelve pound shot forty feet. Stupka and Ralph King have also been doing well in the shotput and may take part in that event. In the discus throw, Fay has likewise been doing things and will probably represent La Crosse in that also. George Lilly has been making excellent time in the 2:20 and is considered a likely man for the Madison team. Walters, too, has made good records in the distance runs and discus throw and may also go to Madison.

No regular team can be picked for the state meet until after the inter-class meet which will be held May 8. The normal invitation meet is to be held May 22.

Standing of Clubs

American League	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	9	3	.750
Washington	5	4	.556
New York	5	4	.556
Boston	4	4	.500
Cleveland	6	6	.500
Chicago	6	6	.500
Philadelphia	3	5	.375
St. Louis	3	9	.250
National League			
Philadelphia	8	1	.889
Cincinnati	7	3	.700
Boston	5	5	.500
St. Louis	6	6	.500
Pittsburgh	4	6	.400
Chicago	4	6	.400
Brooklyn	4	6	.400
New York	2	7	.222
Federal League			
Newark	9	5	.643
Pittsburgh	8	5	.615
Chicago	6	4	.600
Brooklyn	7	5	.583
Kansas City	6	6	.500
Baltimore	5	6	.455
St. Louis	3	8	.273

American Association	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	8	2	.800
Louisville	7	3	.700
St. Paul	7	4	.636
Minneapolis	6	4	.600
Kansas City	5	5	.500
Cleveland	4	6	.400
Milwaukee	3	8	.273
Columbus	1	9	.100

GAMES SATURDAY	
American Association	
Kansas City, 5; Milwaukee, 0.	
Louisville, 7; Columbus, 4.	
Minneapolis, 15; St. Paul, 7.	
Indianapolis, 7; Cleveland, 0.	
American League	
Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 1.	
Detroit, 6; Cleveland, 0.	
New York, 4; Washington, 0.	
Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 3.	
National League	
Brooklyn, 7; New York, 5.	
Boston, 10; Philadelphia, 2.	
Cincinnati, 1; Pittsburgh, 1 (game called in 8th).	
Federal League	
Newark, 7; Brooklyn, 2.	
Baltimore, 10; Buffalo, 4.	
Pittsburgh, 2; St. Louis, 0.	
Chicago-Kansas City, no game; rain.	

GAMES YESTERDAY	
American Association	
Milwaukee, 4-3; Kansas City, 1-0.	
St. Paul, 2; Minneapolis, 1.	
Indianapolis, 7; Cleveland, 5.	
Louisville, 4; Columbus, 2.	
American League	
Cleveland, 3; Detroit, 1.	
Chicago, 1; St. Louis, 0.	
National League	
St. Louis, 8; Pittsburgh, 1.	
Chicago, 4; Cincinnati, 4 (fifteen innings; game called on account of darkness).	
Federal League	
Kansas City, 3-4; Chicago, 10-2.	

Pittsburgh, 3; St. Louis, 0.
Newark, 2; Buffalo, 1.

GAMES TODAY
American Association
Milwaukee at Kansas City.
St. Paul at Minneapolis.
Cleveland at Indianapolis.
Columbus at Louisville.

American League
St. Louis at Detroit.
Cleveland at Chicago.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

National League
Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

Federal League
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.
Kansas City at Chicago.
Buffalo at Newark.
Baltimore at Brooklyn.

GUN CLUB MEETING
A meeting of the members of the Pioneer Gun club has been called for Thursday evening at Kemp's barber shop at 927 Market street. The meeting will be called at eight o'clock. Matters of business will be taken up.

PIONEER GUN CLUB SCORES

Geo. Schneeberger, 13; Chas. Schlutter, 24; H. Lunde, 19; A. Gilbertson, 22; L. Kemp, 17; Burt Dummer, 12; Wm. McMahon, 10; A. O. Colbr, 18; James Holy, 19; Tom Steinlein, 17; A. P. Nelson, 4; R. A. Meiser, 14; R. A. Sheets, 8; A. Petrick, 19; Frank Smith, 20; Walt Hoefner, 19; Ted Lunde, 15; John Kemp, 3; Max Affeldt, 16; Albert Major, 17; Roy Hemleben, 20; Geo. Manning, 11; J. Balzer, 14.

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SPORTS

NELSONS VICTORS IN FIRST GAME OF YEAR ON SUNDAY

Comeau's Athletes Take the Opener from Athletics by a Score of 9 to 1

BERANEK HITTING STAR

Weigel Succeeds Copsey and Allows but One Hit in Four Innings

Before a crowd estimated at two hundred people, the Nelsons and Athletics yesterday officially opened the baseball season in La Crosse. The Nelsons won by a score of 9 to 1.

Disappointment was evident when Umpire Behrens failed to locate Mayor Bentley in the grandstand. His Honor had promised to be present to chuck the first ball, thus giving the opening the appearance of a real, big town event.

Managers Comeau and Krause, of the Nelsons and Athletics respectively, walked side by side to the grandstand and made their bow to the fans. They were greeted with hurrahs. And then the game was off. Fay Copsey, mainstay of last year's Athletics, took the mound for the Athletics. He stayed for five innings, during which time the Nelsons garnered eleven hits and nine runs. Weigel went in the sixth and held the Nelsons scoreless for the remainder of the game. He allowed one hit, a single by Evenson in the seventh.

Two hits were the total of blows made by the losers. Williams got a single in the fourth and Satek singled in the sixth. Neither hit resulted in runs. The hitting of Beranek for the Nelsons was the feature of the game.

The game by innings:
FIRST, Nelsons—Beranek struck out. Roeder flied to Krause. Hackner singled and stole second. Kabat walked, scoring with Hackner on a double by Childers. Meinert was out Horn to Wuest. Two hits, two runs.

Athletes—Layman walked and was caught off first. Wall to Roeder. Rogstad was out. Childers to Wall. Williams flied out to Kabat. No hits, no runs.

SECOND, Nelsons—Evenson fouled out to Williams. Wall was out. Williams to Wuest and Squier fanned. No hits, no runs.

Athletes—Krause was out on a long fly to Beranek, who made a grand catch, running into deep center left. Horn and Tanke flied out to Meinert. No hits, no runs.

THIRD, Nelsons—Beranek doubled. Roeder doubled and Beranek was caught at home plate. Rogstad to Williams to Satek. Hackner fouled out to Wuest. Kabat singled and Childers singled, scoring Roeder and Kabat. Meinert singled; Evenson singled, scoring Childers. Meinert was caught off first. Williams to Wuest. Six hits, three runs.

Athletes—Wuest grounded to shortstop, the ball taking a nasty bound over Roeder's head. He took second on Satek's out. Squier to Wall. Copsey was out. Hackner to Wall. Layman drew another walk. He was caught off first and in the excitement, Wuest took third. Hackner threw wild to Kabat, hitting Wuest on the left shoulder sending the ball to the grandstand. Wuest scored and Layman took third. Rogstad grounded out to Wall. No hits, one run.

FOURTH, Nelsons—Squier was out. Copsey to Wuest. Beranek took first on an error by Rogstad. Roeder was out. Copsey to Wuest. Hackner out Horn to Wuest. No hits, no runs.

Athletes—Williams singled and was caught off first by Squier. Krause out, Roeder to Wall. Horn out Kabat to Wall. One hit, no runs.

FIFTH, Nelsons—Kabat doubled. Childers was hit. Meinert singled, scoring Kabat. He stole second. Evenson fanned. Wall singled, scoring Childers. He stole second. Squier fanned. Beranek tripled, scoring Meinert and Wall. Roeder was out Copsey to Wuest. Four hits, four runs.

Athletes—Tanke fanned. Wuest out. Hackner to Wall. Satek singled. Copsey flied out to Roeder. One hit, no runs.

SIXTH, Nelsons—Hackner fouled out to Williams. Kabat fanned. Childers took first on Wuest's error and Meinert was out Horn to Wuest. No hits, no runs.

Athletes—Layman walked and stole second. Rogstad walked. Layman was out on a squeeze play at third. Rogstad taking third and Williams second. Krause and Horn fanned. No hits, no runs.

SEVENTH, Nelsons—Evenson singled. He was out on a grounder by Wall to Horn. Rogstad. Satek was out. Rogstad to Wuest. Beranek was hit and Roeder walked. Hackner out. Williams to Wuest. One hit, no runs.

Athletes—Tanke out. Hackner to Wall. Wuest fanned. Satek grounded out to Wall. No hits, no runs.

EIGHTH, Nelsons—Kabat took first on an error by morn. Childers fouled out to Wuest and Meinert fouled out to Williams. Evenson was out. Williams to Wuest. No hits, no runs.

Athletes—Weigel fouled to Wall. Layman fanned. Rogstad was out. Hackner to Wall. No hits, no runs.

NINTH, Nelsons—Evenson flied to Layman. Satek out, Horn to

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Wuest, Beranek fanned. No hits, no runs.
Athletes—Williams out, Satek to Wall. Krause fanned. Horn out. Hackner to Wall. No hits, no runs.
The score:
Nelsons— AB R H PO A E
Beranek, lf . . . 5 0 2 1 0 0
Roeder, ss . . . 4 1 1 3 1 1
Hackner, 2b . . . 3 1 0 1 0 0
Kabat, 3b . . . 4 3 2 1 2 0
Childers, c . . . 4 2 2 6 2 0
Meinert, cf . . . 5 1 2 2 0 0
Evenson, rf . . . 5 0 2 0 0 0
Wall, 1b . . . 5 1 1 14 2 0
Squier, p . . . 3 0 0 0 2 0
Satek, p . . . 2 0 0 0 1 0
Totals . . . 42 9 13 27 15 1
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Layman, lf . . . 1 0 0 1 0 0
Rogstad, 2b . . . 3 0 0 1 2 1
Williams, 3b . . . 4 0 1 3 4 0
Krause, cf . . . 4 0 0 1 0 0
Horn, ss . . . 4 0 0 4 1 1
Tanke, rf . . . 3 0 0 0 0 0
Wuest, 1b . . . 3 1 0 14 0 1
Satek, c . . . 3 0 0 1 7 1 0
Copsey, p . . . 2 0 0 0 2 0
Weigel, p . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0
Weeks, c . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals . . . 28 1 2 27 13 3
Score by innings:
Nelsons . . . 2 0 3 0 4 0 0 0 0 9
Athletes . . . 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1
Summaries: Stolen bases: Hackner, Kabat, Meinert, Wall, Layman, Rogstad; sacrifice hit: Williams; two base hits: Childers, Beranek, Roeder, Kabat; three base hit: Beranek; double play: Childers to Wall to Roeder; number of innings pitched by Squier 5; by Satek 4; by Copsey 3; by Weigel 4; base hits off Copsey 7; off Weigel 1; off Squier 1; off Satek 1; struck out by Squier 1; by Satek 5; by Copsey 4; by Weigel 2; bases on balls: off Copsey 1; off Weigel 2; off Squier 2; off Satek 2; hit batsmen: Childers, Beranek; umpire: Behrens.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD BY HAL SHERIDAN (Written for the United Press.)

Vic Saier was the only bloke among all the gents who played ball yesterday who was able to make the circuit on a single out.

Twenty-four thousand fans saw the White Sox-Browns game, proving again that the old game is still alive and kicking.

Rajah Bresnahan's Curious Cubs played in form and couldn't beat the Reds after fifteen innings endeavoring. It was a woozy exhibition. Birmingham's Indians beat Sam Crawford and Ty Cobb yesterday, leading one to think that they, like the game, are a lively stiff.

Claude Hendrix, one time leading chucker in the National league, isn't performing in that style this year. The Kawfeds beat him yesterday, and he lost his only other time out.

The Sox and Browns put up a regular game before the biggest crowd of the season. Red Russell revived pennant hopes of South side fans by holding the Browns to four hits.

If old man 1914 could return to life and see the National league standing—with Philadelphia and Cincinnati leading, the old man would laugh himself to death.

KILBANE-LEONARD

NEW YORK, April 26.—The match between Johnnie Kilbane, feather-weight champion, and Benny Leonard, lightweight, at the Federal A. C. on Thursday night will be the most important fistic show of the week in New York. Leach Cross and Packey Hommey are scheduled to mix it on the same card.

ACID IN STOMACH SOURS THE FOOD

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion is nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation, then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas, or have heartburn, flatulence, waterbrash, or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effervescent, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salts is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble with excellent results. For sale by Chas. Beyschlag, druggist, 503 Main street.

They always come back for MOORE

THE DISCOMFORTS OF SUMMER

Can Be Greatly Reduced

Debilitating heat is due in many instances, to failure to provide against discomfort in advance.

Kitchen discomfort saps vitality. A red hot cook stove and a fat doctor's bill go hand in hand.

The Answer is—

COOK WITH GAS

A constant supply in any quantity, is available instantly and it may be used without waste. The cost is no more than for any other fuel if properly used.

No fire building—it is always ready. It is the most cleanly fuel.

It is the best, especially in Summer.

A Gas Range in the Kitchen will minimize the discomfort incident to the hot weather and bring perfect satisfaction.

The Time to Install a Gas Stove is at Hand

Why not drop in and talk the matter over with us?

At Your Service

Wisconsin-Minnesota Light & Power Co.
Phone 112 222 Main St.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, County of La Crosse, City of La Crosse.

In the matter of opening Thirtieth street between Ferry and Madison streets.

In the matter of opening a public alley between Ferry and Madison street, from West avenue to Thirtieth street.

In the matter of opening a public alley between Charles and Kane streets, from Windsor to St. Paul streets.

In the matter of opening Car street from Rose street to Caledonia streets.

In the matter of opening an alley between Rose street and Caledonia street, from Monitor street to Hagar street.

In the matter of opening a public street, being State street extended, between Losey's boulevard and the Bliss road.

In the matter of opening and widening Sixteenth street from Farnam street to Denton street.

In the matter of opening and widening Denton street from Sixteenth street to East avenue.

In the matter of opening an alley between Jackson and Johnson streets, from Fourteenth to Fifteenth streets.

In the matter of opening a public alley between Berlin and Charles streets, from St. James to Wall streets.

In the matter of opening Farwell street from Eighteenth street to the east line of Weber's addition (unrecorded).

In the matter of opening a public alley between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, from Cass street to the alley between King and Main streets.

In the matter of opening a public alley between King and Main streets, from Green Bay right of way to east boundary of Hooley's addition.

In the matter of opening a public alley between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, from Cass street to the alley between King and Main streets.

In the matter of opening Nineteenth street from Cass to Market streets.

In the matter of opening Twentieth street from Cass to Market streets.

In the matter of opening Twenty-

first street from Cass to Market streets.

In the matter of opening a public alley between Rose and Caledonia streets, from St. Andrew to Hagar streets.

In the matter of opening an alley between the north ends of the two alleys now established in block three (3) of Park addition.

In the matter of opening Madison street from the westerly boundary of Smith and Batchelder's addition to the easterly boundary thereof.

In the matter of vacating a public alley running northeasterly and southwesterly in block seven (7) of Lister's addition.

Notice to Owners of Property Affected Thereby:

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to resolution adopted by the common council of the city of La Crosse, on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1914, a jury was duly empaneled to determine upon the necessity of opening and extending certain streets and alleys and the taking of land therefor.

The verdict of the jury was returned in manner as provided by law, and upon such verdict, commissioners were appointed by the judge of the county court of La Crosse county, Wisconsin, to assess the land affected by the opening of such streets, and ascertain and determine the description of all premises which will be injured or benefited thereby, and to determine and appraise the value of the several parcels of real estate proposed to be taken and the damages and benefits arising to each parcel of land in their opinion benefited or damaged by such proposed improvement.

The report of such commissioners was filed in the office of the clerk of the city of La Crosse on the first day of April, 1915, and is open to inspection of property owners.

The report of the commissioners has also been referred to the judicial committee of the common council of the city of La Crosse for consideration, and will at a later meeting of the common council be confirmed, rejected or modified and confirmed as modified.

You and each of you are hereby notified of the filing of such report of the commissioners. You may examine said report, and if you have any objection to the assessment of

TWO ARE ARRESTED AS BOX-CARTHIEVES

Held in Sparta for Stealing Clothing from Cars; Will Plead Guilty

SPARTA, Wis., April 26.—(Special.)—Lester Foist, aged seventeen, and William Steel, aged thirty-five, are in the county jail awaiting to go before Judge Higbee of La Crosse, and plead to the charge of grand larceny.

The pair were arrested by Sheriff Ross last Monday near the depot. They had broken into three box cars and stolen clothing, consigned to South Dakota merchants to the amount of sixty dollars. A search by the authorities disclosed nearly all of the stolen goods.

Mr. Jerry Jackson and his wife, the old negro couple, who were arrested last week on charge of vagrancy were brought before Justice of the Peace Lamson on Saturday. The case was continued until tomorrow. The old couple will probably be sent to the poor farm. They have been sleeping on lawns and begging their food, just long enough to be eligible to that institution.

Fisherman Loses Leg
Mat Karris of Wilton was brought here Saturday and taken to the Sparta hospital where it was found necessary to amputate one leg. Karris had been over to Norwalk fishing and had returned to Wilton. Just as he got off the train he remembered that his fish pole was still on the train and he went back after it. Before he had the pole the train was started and Karris was forced to jump

damages and benefits and determination of the commissioners thereupon, as to any piece of property, you may present your objection to the judicial committee of the common council of the city of La Crosse.

Dated at La Crosse, Wisconsin, April 22, 1915.

E. H. HOFFMAN, City Clerk.

J. E. HIGBEE, City Attorney.

rolling under the train and being dragged for a short distance. The same train brought him to Sparta hospital.

Hi Howard ran Sparta's first "litter" Saturday, running from Water street to any part of the city.

Willis Swarthout was a La Crosse visitor Saturday.

Raymond Riewert of Tomah, spent the week end with his relatives in Sparta.

Benjamin Sias who is attending the university, spent Sunday at his home in Sparta.

Ed Pierson left Saturday for Hillsboro, where he has secured a position in one of the barber shops.

Miss Ruth Backhausen returned yesterday to her duties at the La Crosse normal school. Her sister

FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Druggist Says Ladies are Using Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe.

Nowadays we get this famous mixture by asking at any drug store for a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. Besides, it takes off dandruff, stops scalp itching and falling hair. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance.

Grace returned with her for a short visit.

Henry Fanning and John Youngman were La Crosse callers Saturday.

After a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Lewis Buswell returned to her home in Kendals.

Mr. Carl Davenport visited in La Crosse Saturday and Sunday.

Earl Madden and John Fitzpatrick of Tomah, were Sparta callers Friday.

Grant Saltz returned to Sparta after a several weeks' visit in La Crosse.

The J. W. Saltz family has moved from their home on Franklin street to 525 Central avenue.

Cecil Horswill returned to Madison yesterday, after a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. Abbie Horswill.

Dan Rogers was a Tomah caller yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Torville left for Rochester today where she will undergo an operation.

Mrs. Casperson of Viroqua, visited at the Fred Affeldt home yesterday.

Miss Ida Gullickson who is in a La Crosse hospital after an operation is getting along in fine shape.

WHIFF'S FOURTEEN BLAIR BATSMEN

BLAIR, Wis., April 26.—(Special.)—Wiener for Independence struck out fourteen men Saturday in the game with Blair, which was won by the visitors 8 to 0. The game team was plainly outclassed. It was the first home game of the year.

JUDGE ANDERSON ILL

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 26.—Judge A. B. Anderson, of the United States district court for Indiana was today seriously ill at the St. George Hotel here from ptomaine poisoning.

A physician and nurse were in constant attendance. His condition was pronounced "serious, but not dangerous." His temperature today was 102.

Your Own Keeper.

Every thought we think images it self in the mind, and every image that is persistently held in mind is bound to materialize.—Jean Porter Rudd.

NEUVE CHAPELLE VICTORY HEARTENS BRITISH TROOPS

Nothing Left of City but Debris Too Crushed to Be Further Demolished, Writes W. G. Shepherd

Following is the first of a series of stories from the British front, written by Wm. G. Shepherd, United Press Staff correspondent, and the only American representing an individual American press organization who is with General Sir John French's army under official credentials. The second story in the series will be printed Tuesday.—Editor.

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD (United Press Staff Correspondent.) (Copyright, 1915, by United Press. Copyright in Great Britain.)

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY. Northern France, April 16.—By Mail to New York.—Neuve Chapelle is the new head that General French has just threaded on the 400 mile string of trenches which Madame Europa wears upon her breast.

Just as the great trans-continental railroads of the United States pass impressively through small towns, so the great trans-continental trenches have had their route bent by the English general to take in the town of Neuve Chapelle.

I find the residents of the city extremely proud of the distinction. This is probably because they personally helped General French in his task of trench bending. There are no French people remaining here, in fact there are no houses remaining.

Neuve Chapelle is thoroughly destroyed as a crushed eggshell. Its only streets are trenches; its only houses are dugouts; death fills the space above the trench line; shells criss-cross the sky above it and burst in the ruins. There's nothing more that a shell can do to Neuve Chapelle except to stir up the debris.

The shells have ransacked the cemetery; blown open the graves; scattered bits of coffins and fragments of bones over the cemetery lawns and then churned the lawns into a mass of mud, bones, coffin-bits and fragments of gravestones. Then as if nothing would satisfy their fury, they have blown this mixture into the air and scattered it all over the neighboring portion of the town.

Neuve Chapelle has disappeared, but its name goes down into history as the town which was shelled by six hundred cannon; as the town which was fought for, between the English and the Germans, at a cost of 100 lives for every ruined house in its streets.

Marked First Attack

The English prize Neuve Chapelle because it is a token of General French's proof that the German, in a trench, can be routed in an attack. The battle of Neuve Chapelle marked the first attack, on a line of any great extent, against entrenched German forces. It is a proof that has put fire into the fighting of both the English and the French.

"It's worlds better now," said an English soldier to me in the trenches this afternoon. "We had stuck in our trenches month after month, wondering how strong the fellow across the way really was, and now we know. We're out of our old trenches into the new ones in Neuve Chapelle. It's just like that cowboy and Jack Johnson fight."

Like Johnson-Willard Fight

I asked him how the two were alike.

"Well, we were like the cowboy in the first part of the war, and Germany was like Jack Johnson. Germany knew that if she licked us, she'd have to do it in the early rounds, she couldn't make a long fight of it."

"Well, last winter's fighting was just like the early rounds in the Willard-Johnson fight. Can you imagine how worried that cowboy was until he saw Johnson was beginning to get tired. And can you imagine how happy he felt when he found out that all his blows were beginning to worry the big black fellow? Well, that was us at Neuve Chapelle. Neuve Chapelle showed us. And all of us fellows who were in that fight feel just like Willard must have felt about the sixteenth round."

The point of this is not that Neuve Chapelle was interested in the Jack Johnson fight, although the news did flash like shell fire through the trenches in the town as soon as it was received, thirty hours late, but that the capture of Neuve Chapelle put a new hope and a new fighting spirit into the English army and into the faces of English soldiers that had been worn by the grinding rigors of winter; it put them into tune with the spring that is turning everything green in Trenchland.

IN ALL OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

There Is Hardly A Woman Who Does Not Rely Upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Princeton, Ill.—"I had inflammation, hard headaches in the back of my neck and a weakness all caused by female trouble, and I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with such excellent results that I am now feeling fine. I recommend the Compound and praise it to all. I shall be glad to have you publish my letter.

There is scarcely a neighbor around me who does not use your medicine."—Mrs. J. F. JOHNSON, R. No. 4, Box 30, Princeton, Illinois.

Experience of a Nurse.
Poland, N.Y.—"In my experience as a nurse I certainly think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a great medicine. I wish all women with female troubles would take it. I took it when passing through the Change of Life with great results and I always recommend the Compound to all my patients if I know of their condition in time. I will gladly do all I can to help others to know of this great medicine."

—Mrs. HORACE NEWMAN, Poland, Herkimer Co., N. Y.

If you are ill do not drag along until an operation is necessary, but at once take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you want special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass.

GIRL IS SOUGHT TO CLEAR DEATH

CHICAGO, April 26.—The police today are seeking Clara Garton, 19, and known as "Kittie the Blonde," in an endeavor to solve the mystery of the death of George Aikman, wealthy delicatessen shop proprietor, whose body was found in his shop here yesterday.

Aikman's customers notified the police the store had not been opened for several days. When policemen reached the store they found the windows and doors securely closed with new padlocks and steel bolts. They forced the doors and found Aikman's body under a stairway.

The Garton girl had a room in the same house with the dead man and often had been introduced as his daughter.

Carrying It Too Far.
An agreeable disposition is a nice thing, but some people are so easy to get along with that it's no fun to get along with them.

YOUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED? LOOK AT TONGUE

If cross, feverish or bilious give "California Syrup of Figs"

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look. Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Special 15 Day Offer of Reliable Painless Dentistry

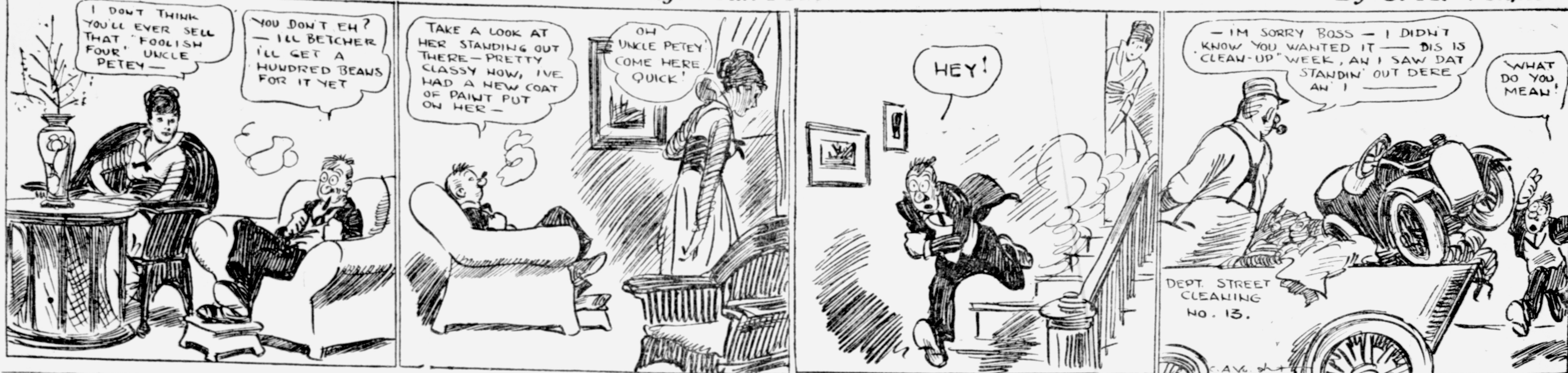
My best 22 karat Gold Crown\$5.00
Bridge Work of all kinds.....\$5.00
Gold Fillings\$2.00
Gold and Platinum Alloy Fillings\$1.00
Whalebone Rubber Plates, the kind that lasts for a lifetime\$12.50

Painless Extracting Free where contract is made for new work. My guarantee for 20 years stands back of every piece of work. You have known me for the past 20 years as being on the square. I never have, nor ever will sell out my office and desert my patients to strangers. You will always find me here to attend to your wants. If you're going to have work done, do it now and save money. Come in anyhow and let's talk it over. It will not cost you a cent for advice. Look for the sign of the BIG TOOTH.

Dr. Watterson
The Painless Dentist 115 South Fourth Street

PETEEY DINK—You Couldn't Blame the Garbage Man Much

By C. A. Voight



A FEW PENNIES SPENT FOR A

TRIBUNE WANT AD

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TELEPHONE YOUR AD TO THE TRIBUNE office any time before noon, and it will be inserted the same day.

BOTH PHONES 323.

HELP WANTED—MALE

ABLE-BODIED MEN—Good eyesight, for firemen and brakemen, \$120 monthly. Experience unnecessary. Railway, care Tribune.

SALESMAN on commission to call on grocers of La Crosse and sell well advertised line. Address T., care of Tribune.

WANTED—One who can run and handle a Ford car to drive through the country. Address 536, Tribune.

WANTED—Steady man who has experience in laying linoleum. Tillman Bros.

WANTED—Blacksmith. L. O. Kirmse, West Salem, Wis.

WANTED—Paper hangers at B. L. Johnson, 607 Main.

HELP WANTED—Female

FOUR neat looking young ladies or men solicitors for city work. Big money proposition, with chance for advancement. Call for Nick Kronebusch at the Doering hotel between 10:30 to 1 p. m. or 6 to 8 p. m.

WANTED—Experienced sewing girls, one apprentice. Miss Oswald, South Fifth street.

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. May room at home. Call 1530 Main.

WANTED—A woman who has a good knowledge of cooking in a private family or at home and is willing to learn to cook and serve at the Woman's Exchange. A steady position and good salary to the right party.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework on farm for the summer. No children in family. Call at 2119 Main street for further information.

HANTED—Girl for general housework. Family of three. Apply to Mrs. B. E. McCormick, 427 South 14th. 750-R new phone.

WANTED—Maid at Lutheran hospital.

WANTED—Girl for general housework at Mormon Coulee Brick Works. Good wages. Call new phone 1243-A, old 2033.

WANTED—Competent girl for housework. 928 Ferry street.

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Apply to 1418 Madison. Mrs. N. M. Scott.

WANTED—Girl to assist with housework. 1732 Madison street.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. W. H. Funke, 1215 State.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. 1634 Cass St.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Northwest corner Fifteenth and Cass.

WANTED—Competent girl to do housework. Apply 407 South 13th.

WANTED—Two girls for general work. Hotel Foley, 501 Mill.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 217 North Seventh.

WANTED—Short order cook. Hotel Foley, 501 Mill.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 710 Vine.

WANTED—Girl at Nora house.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 517 North Tenth.

WANTED—Kitchen girls at the Stoddard hotel.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1400 State.

WANTED—Lady roomers. 421 Vine.

WANTED—Dining room and kitchen help. Northwestern hotel.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Your choice for \$15.00 per acre, one-fourth down and six annual payments, any of our 40 or 80 acre divisions of 23,000 acres, 12 miles east of Rice Lake, 14 miles west of Ladysmith and 2 miles north of Wearhouser, Wis. Choice heavy black soil, well timbered with hard maple, basswood, and birch. The heirs to this land wish it closed out at once and have put it down at this low price. There are divisions in this tract that are worth \$50 per acre. Come and get them at once. It will all be sold before the summer is over. I go every Tuesday morning. See me at once and arrange for the trip and get further information. J. H. Bean, 419 State Bank building, La Crosse, Wis.

A WINONA BOAT, 2 cyl., 26 foot hull, top, cushions, lamps, clutch, boat house, in A-1 condition. Cost \$700. For quick sale at a big bargain. Frank Maas, 1719 Wood street. New phone 9117-Green.

FOR SALE—The following used lumber while it lasts: 4 inch pine or 3 inch hardwood flooring, \$15; 6 inch pine flooring, \$12 to \$18; drop siding, \$15; short dimension and boards, \$12; cheap plank, \$10; also used iron roofing, \$1 per square; pumps, complete, \$2.50 each; two fire place mantels, with fixtures, complete, \$15 each. La Crosse Wrecking and Lumber Co.

FOR SALE—Jewel hard coal stove burner, one porcelain zinc and stand, front porch complete, 6 1/2 x 9 feet, cheap. Inquire at 1114 Division street. J. E. Geiwitz.

FOR SALE—A first class modern house with large elevated lot, in good locality. Will pay for itself by renting furnished rooms. A snap and best buy in the city. Address R. A. J. Tribune.

DO YOU WANT a good six room cottage in Onalaska, Wis.? Will sell a good one for \$1,100. Nicely located. Two lots. Address answers to Lock Box 264, Onalaska, Wis.

FOR SALE—One house and two lots, 149 South Sixth street. Inquire 332 Cass, Flat B.

FOR SALE—Setting hens. 513 Caledonia.

FOR SALE—Stillwater 18 ft. launch, 5 horse 2 cylinder engine, auto top and boat house. New phone 1224-M.

FOR SALE—Restaurant and confectionery store in live town of 1,200 near La Crosse. Ice cream fountain and all fixtures excellent. Now doing from \$30 to \$35 net per week. Cheap if taken quick. Box 615, La Crosse, Wis.

FOR SALE—Picture theater in town of nearly 2,000 near La Crosse. A dandy proposition. Now running to big business. Cheap if taken quick. Box 615, La Crosse, Wis.

FOR SALE—Cheap, complete furniture for six rooms. Must be sold by Monday. 1436 Market.

FOR SALE—A bargain in a 4 cylinder Studebaker roadster. Painted, new top and good tires. \$385.00. Dietz Auto Garage, 209 State.

FOR SALE—Cheap, handsome davenport with bed attachment. Inquire 219 South Ninth street.

FOR SALE—Corner lot, Ninth and King. Inquire 823 King.

FOR SALE—Three houses; \$12 per month and up. A. Lee, 4th & Pearl.

AUTOMOBILE BARGAINS—Waverley electric, \$1,000; 1912 Cadillac touring car, \$700; 1912 Cadillac four passenger, \$600. La Crosse Motor Car Co., 127 North Third street.

FOR SALE—Pair of birch sliding doors, with runners. New phone 1177-C.

FOR SALE—Do you want an Excelsior motorcycle cheap? A No. 1 condition. 921 Farnam street.

FOR SALE—Two story house, suitable for one or two family, partly modern. Must sell. Address X-1, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Union hotel at Bangor. Reasonable if taken at once. Call at hotel or Farmers' State Bank, Bangor.

FOR SALE—In order to settle up an estate I have for sale two good rentable houses on one lot. It will pay to investigate. Jos. W. Giefer.

FOR SALE—Modern house, corner. Address "Home," this office.

FOR SALE—Residence property, desirable location. Will sell on reasonable terms. P. O. Box 596.

FOR SALE—30 foot cabin launch, 30 h. p. 4 cycle engine and all equipment; just overhauled. 901 South Fifth.

FOR SALE—Five shares of G. Heileman Co. brewing stock. Inquire "Stock," Tribune.

FOR SALE—Team of horses. Young and in fine condition. Inquire 1601 Denton street.

FOR SALE—Six horse power single cylinder in good order at 1103 So. Sixth.

FOR SALE—Seven horse Indian, first class condition. Inquire 818 Adams.

FOR SALE—Saloon property, established business. Good location. Address Mrs. E. Netz, Prairie du Chien, Wis.

FOR SALE—1914 model, 5 passenger, 40 h. p. automobile, electric starter and lights. Bargain if taken at once. Mrs. A. C. Wolfe, new phone 1174-A.

FOR SALE—One cylinder 6 h. p. Gray motor, complete boat equipment, fine condition. Bargain. Address 311 South Ninth. Phone 1521-M.

I HAVE FOR SALE a good six room cottage in Onalaska, two lots, making a good garden spot. Excellent location. Will sell for \$1,100. Address answers to Lock Box 264, Onalaska, Wis.

FOR SALE—23 foot launch hull. Call at 629 North Ninth street.

FOR SALE—Black dirt and fertilizer for lawn. 2104-2 rings old phone.

FOR SALE—Modern house. 1101 South Twelfth.

FOR SALE—Geese. New phone 788-R.

CORD WOOD—Dry ash and maple. 400 South Third. New phone 884-M.

FOR SALE—Some horses and mules, also harness. Gateway City Transfer Co.

FOR SALE—Horse and wagon. Must be sold at once. Call at Modern Steam Laundry.

FOR SALE—A buggy in good condition; harness, a pair of shafts, cheap. Call at 623 West avenue So.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A mare in foal, at Reliable Steam Laundry.

FOR SALE—Model 30 1914 Studebaker, like new; two extra tires, at a bargain. 207 State.

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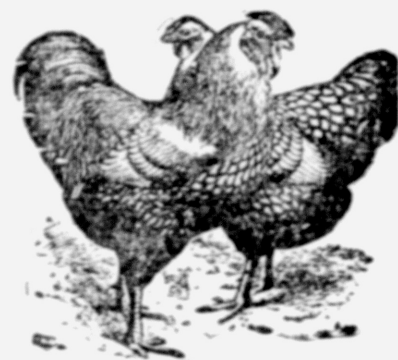
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WANTED—By a young man, a good place to room and board in a private family within six blocks of Fourth and Main. Address Main, Tribune.

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LADY with two children would like room and board in private family for last three weeks in May. Address B. H. M., care Tribune.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL—Mrs. M. Mitchell, formerly Mrs. Methfessel, has removed from 323 South Sixth street to 1235 South Fourteenth street, near Farnam, and will be pleased to see all old friends at new address. (Upper flat.) 1705 Black.

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RICH MINE OWNER TAKES OWN LIFE DULUTH, Minn., April 26.—Supposedly brooding over financial problems, Richard Fagan, 60, one of the owners of the Section Thirty iron mine and reported to be a millionaire, located near Coleraine, shot and killed himself while in his office here shortly before noon today. His associates can assign no reason for the act. Section Thirty mine is one of the three richest iron mines in the world. He is survived by a widow and daughter.

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks NEW YORK, April 26.—Prices were generally up at the opening of the stock market today. Bethlehem Steel sold at 146, an advance of one point over Saturday's close. Five thousand shares of United States steel sold at 59 1/4 and 59 3/4.

The market presented a strong undertone despite a heavy volume of sales. There was a great deal of selling by professional traders in steel.

There was very little change during the second hour, stocks ruling firm. Between 11 and 12 noon, 26,500 shares of Reading changed hands, the price dropping off 1/4.

The market was irregular in the afternoon with Steel and Utah Copper showing some strength again. Steel improved half a point while Utah moved up a point. Railroad issues were weak.

The stock market closed irregular.

New York Money NEW YORK, April 26.—Money on call, 2 per cent, time money unchanged for six months; prime mercantile, 3 1/2 to 4 per cent.

Bar silver, London, unchanged; New York, unchanged.

Kansas City Livestock KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 26.—Cattle — Receipts 11,000; market steady to 10c lower; steers, \$6.25 to \$8.60; cows and heifers, \$4.00 to \$8.50; stockers and feeders, \$6.50 to \$8.50; calves, \$6.00 to \$10.00.

Hogs — Receipts 9,000; market 5c lower; bulk, \$7.35 to \$7.45; heavy, \$7.35 to \$7.40; medium, \$7.35 to \$7.45; light, \$7.35 to \$7.45.

Sheep — Receipts 8,000; market 10c higher; lambs, \$9.00 to \$10.90; ewes, \$7.00 to \$8.60; stockers and feeders, \$6.00 to \$9.25.

Chicago Livestock UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 26.—Hogs — Receipts 40,000; market 5 to 10c lower; mixed and butchers, \$7.20 to \$7.62 1/2; good heavy, \$7.35 to \$7.55; rough heavy, \$6.90 to \$7.10; light, \$7.30 to \$7.65; pigs, \$7.25 to \$7.75.

Cattle — Receipts 20,000; market 1 1/2 to 1 3/4c lower; beefs, \$6.10 to \$8.65; cows and heifers, \$2.90 to

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LICENSE QUESTION BEFORE COMMITTEES

MADISON, Wis., April 24.—(Special.)—Advocates of a change in the distribution of saloon license fees had an inning before the assembly committee on judiciary Friday. A substitute to a bill introduced by Assemblyman Axel Johnson, proposing to divide the license fee so that one-fourth of the fee would go to the municipality, and a like amount to the county, state and the political unit which cared for the poor.

anti-saloon league arguing that the saloons were largely responsible for the expense incident to the maintenance of poor houses, and therefore they should contribute a larger share toward their maintenance. It was contended that it was unfair to compel dry territories to contribute proportionately to this expense.

Representatives of a dozen municipalities throughout the state opposed the bill as an unreasonable appropriation of funds to which the locality itself was entitled.

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TWO DEATHS ARE CAUSED BY AUTO ACCIDENTS IN NEW YORK

Woman is Hurlled From Machine Under Street Car and Chauffeur is Crushed Beneath Automobile

NEW YORK, April 26.—Automobile and motorcycle accidents caused two deaths—a man and a woman—and injuries to four in New York city and vicinity on Sunday. Mrs. Martha Jabotskie, 461 West Forty-Sixth street, and Alexander Appleby, a chauffeur employed by William J. Burns, the detective, are the victims. The injured are Martin Jabotskie, husband of the dead woman; Josephine Wilson, 152 West 128th street; Peter Curtin of 46 Warburton avenue, Yonkers, and Robert Reid of Englewood, N. J.

The Jabotskies were returning from a day at Coney Island. Jabotskie turned his machine west into Forty-Sixth street at Sixth avenue, smashing squarely into a trolley car. Mrs. Jabotskie was thrown under the car. Appleby's body was found under an overturned automobile on Palmer avenue, Yonkers. The authorities believe the chauffeur lost control of his machine and it plunged over the twenty-foot embankment.

Nine Hurt in Milwaukee
MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 26.—Nine persons were injured, one perhaps fatally, in automobile accidents here yesterday. Matthew Kotes, 8, sustained internal injuries when struck by an automobile. Four men were injured when two machines collided. Another was knocked from his bicycle by an automobile. Harold Cook drove his motorcycle into an automobile. Herbert Lueke ran his automobile into a ditch. Paul Sellin was struck while crossing the street.

WEATHER BULLETIN

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Charleston	64	74	0
New York	48	88	.01
Washington	60	94	0
Galveston	70	72	.04
Jacksonville	64	76	0
New Orleans	64	82	0
Chicago	68	84	0
La Crosse	56	80	0
Madison	56	82	0
Memphis	66	86	0
Milwaukee	60	84	0
Bismarck	44	66	0
Huron	50	74	.24
Kansas City	58	78	.14
St. Paul	46	70	.02
Boise	46	70	0
Denver	44	48	.76
Helena	44	68	0

Burglar Sponges Light
CLEVELAND, Ohio.—A boarder at M. B. Mandell's home got up early to take a smoke. "Save the light," said a voice at his bedside. "Who the—?" "Just a burglar," said the voice. He got his light.

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Honeymooners Caught in Raid

CHICAGO—John A. Apel and Ruth Manard eloped to Crown Point, Ind., and were married. They returned to Chicago, and stopped at the Empress hotel. The hotel was raided and the couple arrested despite their certificate.

Hannah Vindicates Hat

NEW YORK—Hannah Goldstein chased two men who laughed at her Sunday hat, cornered them in a store and caused their arrest for disorderly conduct.

Dill Pickles Spring Tonic

NEW YORK—Dill pickles are better for that spring fever than the old fashioned sulphur and molasses according to Dr. Louis R. Weizmiller, Y. M. C. A. physical director.

Anna Gets Away

OLD CITY, Pa.—A New York Central express was held up twenty minutes for that spring fever than the old fashioned sulphur and molasses according to Dr. Louis R. Weizmiller, Y. M. C. A. physical director.

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Although Caruso has been obliged to leave America earlier than usual this season because of a long deferred engagement at Monte Carlo, it is a consolation to many that he has left his voice behind him in the shape of some new Victor Records and that two of these new numbers have just been issued.

The two Caruso records are charming French songs, beautifully given by the tenor. "Love's Haunting" is a solo, and a new Leoncavallo number, "The Two Serenades," is effectively rendered with violin obligato played by Mischa Elman in masterly style. A Gluck-Zimbalist combination puts a new touch to the "Old Folks at Home." Mme. Gluck sings it exquisitely, while the clever arrangement made by Zimbalist skillfully weaves the Dvorak "Humoresque" into the violin accompaniment. Julia

Julia delights with her lovely singing of the favorite "At Parting," and Sophie Braslau sings the "Swedish Love Song" with exquisite expression. Emmy Destinn sings the charming Schubert "Cradle Song" with great beauty of tone, and Margarete Ober presents an admirable rendition of Beethoven's "I Love Thee." Two Irish ballads, "Mavis" and "Avonreen," are brilliantly given by John McCormack. Giovanni Martinelli is heard to advantage in a popular Mascagni "Serenade." Emilio de Gogorza presents an excellent rendition of a rollicking Neapolitan song, "As They Sing in Naples," with a mandolin accompaniment that is pleasing and lends a touch of novelty. Evan Williams sings sympathetically and with admirable phrasing the beautiful Scotch song, "My Ain Folk," and a sacred number, "All in the April Evening," is sung by Herbert Witherpoon.

The lovely "Melodie" in D Minor from Gluck's Orfeo is played by Fritz Kreisler with that simplicity and unconscious beauty of tone which characterize all this artist's violin renditions of the classic gems which he has reclaimed and arranged so effectively. The Tollefsen Trio with violin, "cello, and pianoforte play in a delightful fashion the Rubinstein "Romance" and an effective arrangement of the most beautiful of Wagner's songs of love, "Siegmund's Love Song" from Die Walkure. Two other instrumental organizations, the Neapolitan Trio and the Florentine Quartet, contribute two very popular and graceful compositions, the former playing "At the Mountain Inn" and the latter the appealing "Melody of Love." There are also two more of those quaint and fascinating Hawaiian guitar duets by Lua and Kaili of the Irene West Royal Hawaiians, and their exhibition of ragtime playing would excite the envy of any dandy who ever picked the banjo.

The list of new dance records though small is a choice one, and consists of three one-steps, two fox-trots, and several waltzes which can be used for various dances such as the Hesitation, Boston, Lame Duck, etc. They are all splendidly played by the Victor Military Band and are perfect for dance accompaniments.

The two big New York musical successes, Chin Chin and Mail in America, are chosen by the Victor Light Opera company for their medleys of gems, and as they include every one of the principal hits of these productions, they make two tuneful and unusually attractive medleys. Three delightful short song classics by Brahms and Schuman are rendered on a double-faced record by Christine Miller and Paul Reimers. Miss Miller sings effectively "The Blacksmith" and "Spring Night," and Mr. Reimers is especially happy in his expression of the wistful sweetness of the Schuman setting of Heine's exquisite poem, "Thou'rt Like Unto a Lovely Flower." Two song successes are admirably given by the Lyric Quartet—a Winter Garden favorite, "I'm Looking for Someone's Heart," and "I Want to Go to Tokio" with its tinkling refrain that makes an instantaneous hit. George MacFarlane sings a charming new ballad, "Dreamy Eyes," which is not only melodious and full of sentiment, but also contains a touch of comedy.

Two more splendid numbers in the Ancient Music series are listed among the new educational records, both sung by Reinald Werrenrath. There are also three most remarkable old songs of the Crusaders—two by the Victor Male chorus and the other a trio by MacDonagh, Dixon and Werrenrath. These same singers present a pair of Shakespeare songs, and two others are rendered by Werrenrath, Dixon and Hooley, and Shakespeare students will be delighted with these additions to the Victor list of educational records.

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